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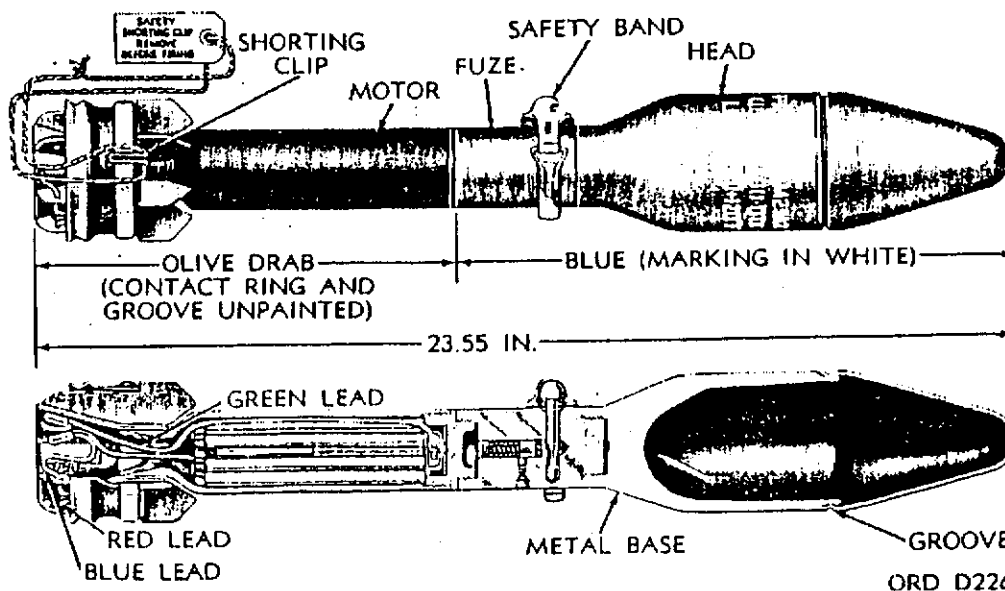
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1. INTRODUCTION

a. **Subject and Purpose**

(1) This report presents the findings of an historical records search and site inspection for ordnance and explosives (OE) located at the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex, Klamath Falls, Oregon (see Plate 1 for general map location). The investigation was performed under the authority of the Defense Environmental Restoration Program for the Former Used Defense Sites (DERP/FUDS).

(2) The investigation focused on 206.34 acres of land that was used as Kingsley Firing Range Annex. The range is only a portion of the original 734.26 acres formerly known as United States Marine Corps, Recuperational Hospital or the Marine Barracks (see map L-4). The site was used by the United States Marine Corps, Oregon Army National Guard and the United States Air Force from 1942 until December 1975.

(3) The purpose of this investigation was to characterize the site for potential OE contamination, to include conventional ammunition and chemical warfare material (CWM). The investigation was conducted by experienced ordnance experts through thorough evaluation of historical records, interviews, and on-site visual inspection results.

b. **Scope**

(1) This report presents the site history, site description, real estate ownership information, results of a visual site inspection, confirmation of ordnance presence based on available records, and evaluation of potential ordnance contamination based on site ordnance components and site information.

(2) For the purpose of this report, OE contamination is considered as being unwanted or abandoned ammunition, and/or components thereof, which contains or

have contained energetic, toxic, or radiological materials, and was manufactured, purchased, stored, used, and/or disposed of by the War Department/Department of Defense.

## 2. PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS

### a. **1993 Preliminary Assessment**

(1) A Preliminary Assessment of the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex was authorized under the Defense Environmental Restoration Program, for Formerly Used Defense Sites (DERP FUDS) by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Portland District (site number F10OR056900). The Findings and Determination of Eligibility (FDE), dated 23 October 1993, concluded that subject site was found to have been formerly used by the Department of Defense (DOD), and was therefore eligible for the Defense Environmental Restoration Program (see document E-1).

(2) The INPR recommends an OE investigation at the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex, which is the subject of this report. Table 2-1 represents the overall assessment of the site.

TABLE 2-1 DERP-FUDS PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT PROJECTS				
Project Number	DERP Category	Present Phase	Comments	Location
F10OR056901	OE	SI	Ordnance or Explosive Contamination	See Plate 2
	HTRW		None Recommended	
	BD/DR		None Recommended	

### b. **Additional Investigations**

There were no other previous investigations discovered during this site assessment team's research of subject location.

## 3. SITE DESCRIPTION

### a. **Existing Land Usage**

(1) Currently the land is subdivided into smaller areas. The land is not inhabited, however, adjacent land is being subdivided into numerous homesites by a group of investors. To date three homes have been built adjacent to the property. The range proper is fenced with a barbed wire fence which is in fair condition. In the past the range had



been used for limited cattle grazing. It is currently not being utilized for anything except possible wildlife habitat.

(2) Table 3-1 is included to represent the current land usage of the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex facility.

TABLE 3-1 CURRENT LAND USAGE					
AREA	FORMER USAGE	PRESENT OWNER	PRESENT USAGE	SIZE/ ACRES*	COMMENTS
A	Small Arms Impact Berm	Madan	Grazing/ Wildlife	.47	See plate 3 & 4
B	Ordnance Burn Disposal Pits	Wirth	Grazing/ Wildlife	.58	See plate 3 & 4
C	3.5 Inch Rocket Impact Area	Madan Wirth	Grazing/ Wildlife	20.41	See plate 3 & 4
D	Rocket Ricochet Area	Madan Wirth	Grazing/ Wildlife	28.01	See plate 3 & 4
E	Disposal Kick-out Area	Madan Wirth	Grazing/ Wildlife	7.45	See plate 3 & 4
F	Remaining Land Area	Madan Wirth	Grazing Wildlife	155.03	See plate 3 & 4
* Indicates Approximated acreage Total 206.34					

#### b. Climatic Data

(1) The climate of Klamath County, Oregon is four seasons. Klamath County is located in a semi-arid region having warm summers and cool winters. The city of Klamath Falls is located at an elevation of 4,100 feet and is surrounded by the Coastal and Cascade mountain ranges which tend to collect the rainfall before it reaches the valley. The range is situated at an elevation 500 feet above the city in the foot hills of the Cascade mountains.

(2) In winter the average temperature in January is 30 degrees Fahrenheit, and the average daily minimum temperature is 21 degrees Fahrenheit. The lowest temperature on record, which occurred in January was -28 degrees Fahrenheit in 1937. Below zero temperatures can be expected one year out of two. In summer the temperature can be expected over 100 Fahrenheit only one year in five. The highest recorded temperature of 105 degrees Fahrenheit occurred in July, 1911. Precipitation averages 16 to 25

inches a year in the foot hills with 30 percent of that snowfall. Approximately 44 percent of the moisture occurs in the winter.

#### **c. Topography**

The topography of Klamath County is a large valley where the city of Klamath Falls is located with some surrounding farm area. Through the center and to the west of town is Klamath Lake which provides irrigation for the farm land. Surrounding the valley are the Coastal Range and the Cascade mountains which have a maximum elevation of 6,500 feet. The Kingsley Firing Range Annex itself is located in the foothills north of the city. Although the range is in the foothills it is relatively flat and has rocky terrain with low ground cover including brush and native grasses.

#### **d. Geology and Soils**

The Soil Survey of Klamath County, Oregon shows areas of shallow to very deep, excessively drained and well drained soils in mountainous areas. The "Lorella" soils are shallow soils that formed in residual material originating from tuff and basalt. "Rock Outcrop Nuss" is the second type with rock outcrops and shallow soils that are formed from tuff. The third type of soils encountered is the "Woodcock-Nuss-Royst" which is shallow to deep soils formed from andesite, basalt, tuff, and ash. These three type soils are prevalent on the subject range.

#### **e. Hydrology**

The soils on the range area are well drained. The County is located within the Lost River drainage area. The natural drainage patterns have been highly modified by the construction of the Klamath project, a major irrigation and drainage ditch system operated by the Bureau of Reclamation. The surface drainage pattern of the county eventually reaches the major drainage ditches that discharge into the Lost River and eventually flow southeast toward California. The Lost River Diversion Canal diverts water from the lost river to the Klamath system during surplus periods, usually in the winter months, for irrigation in the Lost River and Tule Lake agricultural areas.

#### **f. Natural Resources**

(1) The Oregon Natural Heritage Program lists no animal or plant species in the area as endangered.

(2) If actions should proceed further regarding the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex, participants should

again contact the Oregon Natural Heritage Program, 1205 NW 25th AVE., Portland, Oregon, 97210.

(3) Klamath County has a diverse economy. Timber products, cattle ranching, irrigation farming, and tourism are the main industries. The range itself has been used for occasionally for cattle grazing.

**g. Historical/Cultural Resources**

No historical/cultural resources were found to be present on the lands which contained the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex.

TABLE 3-2 Natural, Historical and Cultural Resources		
Resource Classification	Type	Comments
<b>Wildlife</b>	None Known	Coord w/ Oregon Natural Heritage Program
<b>Vegetation</b>	None Known	Coord w/ Oregon Natural Heritage Program
<b>Cultural/ Historical</b>	None Known	Coord w/Oregon SHPO

**4. HISTORICAL ORDNANCE PRESENCE**

**a. Chronological Site Summary**

(1) Located 4 miles north of Klamath Falls, Oregon (see plate 1) the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex project site was part of a larger 734 acre site activated in 1944. The 734 acre site was built as a Marine Barracks and medical facility to be used for military personnel who had contracted tropical diseases. The site was selected because of the mild, dry climate which was very conducive for treating malaria and other tropical diseases (see document H-3). The subject 206 acre range was built because the U. S. Marine Corps Commander believed that activities such as marksmanship was an important part of rehabilitation for the soldiers. With the decrease in soldiers contracting these diseases and the successful rehabilitation of those afflicted, the Department of the Navy decided to close the treatment center and on October 28, 1947 the entire site was transferred to the Oregon Technical Institute for use as a training institution for returning veterans (see documents G-1 and G-2).

(2) Due to the high costs of maintaining this institution the state of Oregon built a new school and then turned the entire site over to the City of Klamath Falls for use as a park. The land reverted back to the United States Government in 1964 when the city could not maintain the area as a park.

(3) With the exception of the rifle range, the General Services Administration put the property up for sale at that time. It held back the property on which the rifle range is located at the United States Air Force's request (see document G-3 thru G-6). This was accomplished in February 1965 (see document G-7).

(4) The United States Air Force maintained the Kingsley Firing Range Annex from February 1965 until the active duty Air Force mission was assumed by the Oregon Air National Guard. The three parcels of land which comprised the rifle range were individually conveyed to other organizations or persons. Tract P (44.46 acres) was conveyed to the Department of Interior whom in turn quit claim deeded the land to the city (see document G-5). In 1987 it was deeded back to GSA who sold it to S.K. Madan, P.O. Box 70910 , Pasadena, California, 91107 (see document G-9). Tract Q (1.88 acres) shows up as a county road (see document G-4). Current maps indicate this acreage is now a county road. Tract 600 (160 acres) which was leased land was returned to the original owner, Mr. Bruce Wirth, 2737 Old Fort Road, Klamath Falls, Oregon, 97603 (see plate 4).

#### **b. Review of Ordnance Related Records**

(1) Research efforts began with a review of all reports, articles, historical documents, and reference materials gathered during the archival records search. During this review an effort was made to focus on areas of potential OE contamination as described in the OE project summary sheet, as well as any additional areas which may have been identified during research concerning this former facility.

(2) Aerial photographs were located which clearly show the Kingsley Firing Range Annex (see document K-1). The light area in the upper left of the outlined area shows the rifle firing area. In the upper center of the photo the hospital complex itself can be seen.

(3) A request for bid on the old Oregon Technical Institute location shows the range proper and identifies it was not for sale (see document G-3).

(4) A 1946 contractors map drawn by R. H. McCormick, Major, U. S. Marine Corps is an excellent depiction of the complete site at the time of closure. The proposed addition identified on the map to the range was never made (document L-2).

(5) The site investigation team was unable to locate any documents which specified any types of ordnance used on the range. The assumption must be made that standard .30 caliber and .45 caliber weapons were fired on the range because this was the standard equipage for the time period.

(6) At the time of U. S. Air Force ownership, the mission at Kingsley Field was strictly air defense. F-106 interceptor aircraft were used exclusively for the mission. This type aircraft carried two AIM 4F and AIM 4G missiles, along with one AIR 2A rocket for its offensive weaponry.

(7) Because clear range documentation was not located, range firing fans were abstracted from Army Regulations in order to show a probable area for contamination (see document D-4).

#### **c. Interviews With Site-Related Personnel**

(1) Personal interviews were conducted with officials, local citizens and land owners to help in the investigation for the presence of contamination (OE) in this area, and to gain further knowledge into the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex facility.

(2) Mrs. Maxine Wirth stated she was the current land owner of the 160 acre tract that the U.S. Air Force leased for the purpose of a firing range. Mrs. Wirth stated that her dad had owned the entire area known as the Marine Barracks until the government condemned the land and acquired it for the medical facility. The land was put up for sale by bid but, the selling price was more than they could offer. Mrs. Wirth was very cooperative in letting the SI team have access through her gate which led directly to the backside of the range. This area known as Tract 600 (see plate 4) was the area where 3.5 Inch Rocket debris and also the burn/detonation pits were found. Mrs. Wirth stated she had no knowledge of any ordnance or explosives hazards or debris in the area (see interview I-1).

(3) Mr. Bruce Durant owns the land on the northwest edge of the firing range. Mr. Durant offered the SI team access to the area through his private gate making it very convenient for the SI team to investigate the area. Mr. Durant, a real estate agent stated that as part of his job he had been all over the range. Being quite familiar with the area Mr. Durant helped the SI team locate the boundaries

of the former range. He stated tract Q (see plate 4) which leads to his home was a county road. Tract P is the area which is owned by S. K. Madan. As a real estate agent he thought this tract would soon be put up for sale. When asked of any knowledge of hazards he said he knew of none. He stated he never saw any debris from ordnance or explosives. Mr. Durant's home is approximately 3/4 of a mile from where the SI team saw actual debris from ordnance and explosives (see interview I-2).

(4) Sergeant Flocchini of the Klamath Falls Police Department and a 36 year resident of Klamath Falls was also knowledgeable of the area. Mr. Flocchini said he had fired on the range about 25 years ago as a police officer and also a member of the Oregon National Guard. He had been there half a dozen times. He said the only training accomplished on the range was small arms firing. Mr. Flocchini was not aware of any other ordnance items used on the range. Mr. Flocchini also stated that there had never been any incidents reported to the police involving ordnance or explosives (see interview I-3).

(5) Chief Master Sergeant John Wohlwend of the Oregon Air National Guard was interviewed for the purpose of gaining insight of the Guard's activities on the range. CMSGT Wohlwend stated he came to the area in 1971 and that he had never been on the range and that the Oregon Air National Guard had never used it. As Chief of Security Police he was aware that the range had been used by the active Air Force years prior for what he assumed disposal operations and also for marksmanship training. Mr. Wohlwend thought the disposal operations were for small arms. He did not know of any incidents occurring from military use of the firing range or any ordnance items found or buried on the range (see interview I-4).

(6) Mr. Kenny Hertz was contacted for information about Oregon Army National Guard's use of the range. Mr. Hertz had been with the guard for over thirty years. He stated he remembered being on the range numerous times. He recalled that the great majority of the times the range was used for only small arms practice. He did know of several times when the 3.5 inch practice rockets were used in small quantities. He did not remember the exact quantities but it was not great quantities. Mr. Hertz said the firing point for the rockets was north of the water tank and on the first small arms firing berm. The approximate firing point as described by Mr. Hertz is pointed out in plate 2. Mr. Hertz stated at times they brought out old vehicles to be used as targets in this area. He was careful to also state they always removed the vehicles after use

## 5. SITE ELIGIBILITY

### a. **Confirmed Formerly Used Defense Sites**

(1) Former land usage and ownership of Kingsley Firing Range Annex by the Department of Defense has been previously confirmed for this entire site. This approximate 206 acres of land was used as a site for marksmanship training.

(2) All information obtained during the archives search, site visit, and personal interviews has verified that this former Kingsley Firing Range Annex location is to be considered a confirmed site under the FUDS program.

### b. **Potential Formerly Used Defense Sites**

An additional area identified as Area F was discovered when the Army regulation size firing fan was overlaid on the Kingsley Firing Range Annex map (see plate 3). While not originally part of the site, the rocket firing fan clearly indicates usage. The area is summarized in Table 5-1 and is eligible as a potential Formerly Used Defense Site. All other acreage pertaining to Kingsley Firing Range Annex appears to have been accurately covered in the Findings and Determination of Eligibility, dated 23 October 1993 (see document E-1).

TABLE 5-1 POTENTIAL FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITES LAND USAGE				
AREA	FORMER USAGE	PRESENT OWNER	PRESENT USAGE	SIZE/ ACRES*
G	Ricochet Area	Stewart	Wildlife/ Residential	6.45

## 6. VISUAL SITE INSPECTION

### a. **General Procedures and Safety**

(1) During the period of 5-9 August 1995, members of the Site Inspection (SI) team traveled to the former Kingsley Firing Range Annex facility, Klamath Falls, Oregon. The primary task of the site inspection team was to assess subject facility for OE presence and potential. The site inspection was limited to non-intrusive methods, i.e., subsurface sampling was neither authorized nor performed at this location.

(2) Real Estate rights-of-entry were coordinated and obtained by the Portland District.

(3) A site safety plan was developed and utilized by the site inspection team to assure safety from injury to

all personnel during the site inspection of this facility. A briefing was conducted prior to the inspection, at which time it was stressed that OE should only be handled by military EOD personnel. During this on-site inspection, the assessment team maintained site safety at all times.

(4) Prior to the site visit, a thorough review of all available reports, historical documents, texts, and technical ordnance reference materials gathered during the historical records search portion of the ASR was made, to ensure awareness of potential ordnance types and hazards.

**b. Area A - Small Arms Impact Berm**

(1) This area is approximately 200 feet long and 20 feet high at the southeast end of tract P. The berm was cut into a slight hill. Firing positions themselves were elevated and at approximately 200 meters, 300 meters and 500 meters to the face of the target berm (see plate 3, document E-2, and photograph K-1).

(2) A portion of this area is within Area C, however, it is considered a separate area in this report due to the fact that a 3.5 inch rocket on a fence post was discovered on the north end of the berm. This rocket had an identifiable lot number and fuze nomenclature M-405 which is the practice version of the 3.5 inch rocket (see plate 3, plate 5, photographs J-11, J-12 and J-13). No other OE was observed within this area.

**c. Area B - Ordnance Burn/Disposal Pits**

(1) The on-site inspection team proceeded to perform a visual inspection of the area in and adjacent to the burn pits. This area is located on the northwest corner of Tract 600 and in a straight line from the firing berm in Area A. Directly to the south of the Area B is a fire trail. Although this area is within the rocket impact area it is being addressed as a separate area since there may be ordnance buried.

(2) In the pits there was evidence of small arms, ejection cartridges for aircraft pylons, and an empty rear casing of a practice bomb. No live ordnance was observed in either pit (see plate 3, plate 5 and photographs J-3 thru J-6).

**d. Area C - 3.5 Inch Rocket Impact Area**

(1) The firing fan and ricochet area adjacent to the firing fan commences at the firing point on the most northwesterly firing berm. This area extends on to the southwest end and south center of Tract P and also into the



neighboring Tract 600. The area is flat, rocky and moderately grassy (see plate 3)

(2) Scattered debris from 3.5 inch rockets started approximately 400 yards downrange and well within the firing fan (see plate 3). While there were no heavy concentrations, numerous tail rings, fins and several warhead sections from practice 3.5 inch rockets were observed throughout the area (see photographs J-7 thru J-10 and plate 5).

#### **e. Area D - Rocket Ricochet Area**

The rocket ricochet area was determined by Army Regulation 385-63 (see reference D-4). This area surrounds the dispersion and line of fire area shown on plate 2. Because of its close proximity to the line of fire it was scoured closely for OE contamination. No debris was found (see photograph J-13 and plate 5).

#### **f. Area E - Disposal/Kickout Area**

(1) This area extends out around Area B, the ordnance burn/disposal pits, approximately 300 feet. Much of this area also extends into previously mentioned Area C and Area D. Because there is no documentation stating what was disposed of in the area an assumption must be made that there was possible disposal by detonation in this area. This leads to the possibility of kickouts of munitions items.

(2) The mission at the time of ownership by the U. S. Air Force at Kingsley airfield was air defense. The type of aircraft flown by Kingsley were F-106 interceptors which carried missiles only. These aircraft had no guns and the only explosive items on them besides the missiles were ejection cartridges and explosive components for the ejection seat system.

(3) The missiles would not have been disposed of on the range because they are routinely shipped back to depot for refurbishing. Likewise, most of the ejection seat charges are returned as accountable items to depot. This leaves ejection cartridges, small arms ammunition and possibly small charges from the ejection seat system possibly would have been disposed of in Area B.

#### **g. Area F - Remaining Grounds**

Immediately on entering the range there are three small buildings. One was setup as an office and possibly a small messhall. The other two are about 8' X 8' and were

obviously used as magazines. The land itself is quite level with berms running parallel on each side of the firing positions. Inspection of the remaining land to the east revealed there was no evidence of any ordnance or explosives. Furthermore there was no evidence of any small arms projectiles (see plate 2 and 3).

#### **h. Area G - Ricochet Area (Potential FUDS)**

This small area falls within the 3.5 inch rocket ricochet area but extends outside the site boundary (see plate 3). Because this area is outside the boundary of the range it must be considered separate. This area is separated from the range with a barbed wire fence. There is a trail which could be accessible with a four wheel drive vehicle in this area. While inspecting the range the entire boundary was walked and inspected. No OE was observed in this area.

### **7. EVALUATION OF ORDNANCE HAZARDS**

#### **a. General Procedures**

(1) All lands known to have comprised the former Kingly Firing Range Annex were evaluated to determine confirmed, potential, or uncontaminated ordnance presence. Confirmed ordnance contamination is based on verifiable historical evidence or direct witness of ordnance items since site closure. Verifiable historical records evidence consists of ordnance items located on site and documented by the local bomb squad, Army Explosive Ordnance Disposal Team, newspaper articles, correspondence, current findings, etc. Direct witness of ordnance items consists of the inspection team directly locating ordnance items by visual inspection. Additional field data is not needed to identify a confirmed subset.

(2) Potential ordnance contamination is based on a lack of confirmed ordnance. Potential ordnance contamination is inferred from records or indirect witness. Inference from historical records would include common practice in production, storage, usage, or disposal, at that time, which could have allowed present day ordnance contamination. Potential ordnance contamination could also be based on indirect witness or from present day site features. Additional field data is needed to confirm potential ordnance subsites.

(3) Uncontaminated ordnance subsites are based on a lack of confirmed or potential ordnance evidence. All evidence found in historical records and present day site inspections do not indicate confirmed or potential ordnance contamination. There is no reasonable evidence, either direct or inferred, to suggest present day ordnance

contamination. Additional field data is not needed to assess uncontaminated ordnance areas.

**b. Area A - Small Arms Impact Berm**

(1) There was no evidence of ordnance or explosive contamination at this area with the exception of a 3.5 inch rocket (see photograph J-11). It is quite obvious a person found this in another area and then placed it on a perimeter fence post for the lack of nothing better to do.

(2) The front and back of the target area were thoroughly inspected for OE debris. None was found.

(3) In relation to its actual use as a small arms target area the area is uncontaminated. However, this area should be considered to be **potential** for OE contamination due to its location within the rocket firing range (Areas C and D).

**c. Area B - Ordnance Burn/Detonation Pits**

(1) This area, which consists of 2 burn pits approximately 200' apart was found to have ordnance related debris. One area was situated on flat ground with no pit or berm. It had ordnance residue in the form of burned small arms casings and ammunition clips (see photographs J-3 through J-7).

(2) The second area had a 6' berm shaped as a horseshoe around the area. Within the berm was burned and melted ejection cartridges, small arms casings, and the empty base of an old style bomb. There was not enough left to make a positive identification, however it has been theorized that at one time the Kingsley AFB EOD Team may have used the bomb for shape charge training. In neither pit was any live ordnance found. This area should be considered **confirmed**.

(3) This would be the only area where there is some suspicion of buried ordnance, although there is no evidence to substantiate this (see plate 3).

**d. Area C - 3.5 Inch Rocket Impact Area**

(1) Scattered debris from 3.5 inch rockets was observed throughout the target impact area. While there were no heavy concentrations, numerous tail rings, fins and several warhead sections from practice 3.5 inch rockets were observed. One warhead and rocket motor assembly were discovered stuck on a steel fence post. Lot and model number were readable including the word "dummy" on the inert M405 fuze.

(2) Because the worst case scenario must be assumed all types of 3.5 inch rockets must be considered to be in the area. This means that HE, WP, and practice rockets possibly contaminate Area C. There is no documentation stating specifically what type was fired on the range. Mr. Kenny Hertz, who has the most knowledge of the range stated, only practice rockets were fired. No other witnesses were available to confirm or deny this. This area must be considered **confirmed** for OE contamination (see plate 3, 5 and photograph J-7 thru J-10).

**e. Area D - Rocket Ricochet Area**

The presence of confirmed ordnance in the adjoining area and the fact that this is considered a ricochet area deem this area as likely to have OE debris (see plate 3, photograph J-1 and J-13). This area must be considered **potential** for OE contamination.

**f. Area E - Disposal Kick-out Area**

This area surrounds the ordnance burn/disposal pits. Kickouts are always a possibility if any disposal by detonation occurred in these pits. The size of the area is held to a minimum because of the type of munitions which would have been disposed of by the U. S. Air Force personnel. The type of mission and the type of aircraft used to complete the mission for Kingsley Airfield would have generated very few munitions or explosive components. More than likely only ejection cartridges and small arms would have been generated for disposal. It must be remembered that this area encroaches into Area C and Area D so the acreage may be misleading. This area is **Potential** for OE contamination (see plate 3).

**g. Area F - Remaining Land**

There is no documentation to indicate any use of ordnance on this land. There was no direct witness by this assessment team of any ordnance and explosive contamination in this area. A thorough examination of the remaining lands indicated no ordnance or ordnance debris. Interviews with adjacent landowners and the landowner of Tract 600 all conclusively stated they knew of no OE contamination. This area should also be considered to be **uncontaminated** (see plate 3, photographs J-4 and J-13).

**h. Area G - Ricochet Fan (Potential FUDS)**

This area does not fall within the original range boundary. This area is within the prescribed regulation firing fan for 3.5 inch rockets. Being within the firing fan this area is considered **potential** for OE contamination as in Area D (see plate 3)

## 8. SITE ORDNANCE TECHNICAL DATA

### a. End Item Technical Data

Table 8-1 has been developed for to establish a list of potential ordnance items and their explosive/chemical fillers that could exist an surface and sub-surface levels within the former site. It is based upon available documentation, information gathered during personal interviews and personal observations.

TABLE 8-1 SUMMARY OF SITE-SPECIFIC ORDNANCE			
ITEM	MODEL/TYPE	FILLER/WEIGHT	FUZE/TYPE/MODEL
Rocket, 3.5 inch	M-30	White Phosphorus 2.23 lb.	M-404
	M-28A2	Comp B 1.88 lb.	M-404
	M29A2*	Practice (Inert)	M-405 (Inert)
.30 Cal. Cartridge	M-2*	Lead Antimony, 50 grams Single or doublebase powder	
.45 Cal Cartridge	M1911*	Lead Antimony, 5 grams Single or doublebase powder	
ARD 863-1 Cartridge, ejection	M169*	Doublebase powder, 2.10 grams	
*Confirmed on site			

### b. Chemical Data of Ordnance Fillers

Table 8-2 has been developed to provide information on some of those items listed on Table 8-1.

TABLE 8-2 CHEMICAL DATA OF ORDNANCE FILLERS		
Filler/Weight	Synonym(s)	Chemical Formula
Doublebase Powder, 5-50 gram	Ballistite, Guncotton, Pyroxylin	$[\text{C}_6\text{H}_8\text{O}_5(\text{NO}_2)]_n, \text{CH}_2\text{NO}_3\text{CHNO}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_3,$ $(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{NH}$
Smoke, HC, 19oz	Hexachlorethane-Zinc	$\text{Zn} + \text{C}_2\text{Cl}_6$
Smoke, WP, 15oz	White Phosphorus	P
Detonator	Lead Azide	$\text{Pb}(\text{N}_3)_2$
Detonator/Booster (RDX)	Cyclotrimethylenetrinitrimine	$\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{N}_3(\text{NO}_2)_3$
Comp B	Trimethylene, Trinitramine Cyclonite	$\text{N}(\text{NCH}_2)_3$

9. OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

No potential projects were noted that were not previously addressed by the Portland District.

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Pentagon Library Room 1A518 Washington, DC 20310	Staff	(703) 693-6543	References
Defense Library on Disc Pentagon, Rm 1A518, Washington DC, 20310-6080	Computer Search	(703) 697-4658	No Information
Defense Logistics Studies Ex. US Army Logistics Mgt. College Ft. Lee, VA	Computer Search	(202) 734-4007	No Information
Defense Technical Info Center Cameron Station, VA, 22304-6145	Computer Search	(202) 274-7633	No Information
Center of Military History, 1099 14ST. NW, Washington DC DC, 20536	CEHO/SR	(202) 761-5416	See Appendix B, Section II
<b><u>Air Force</u></b>			
Air Force Historical Agency 600 Chennault Circle, Maxwell AFB, AL 36112-6424	Thomas Dean	(205) 953-6884	Recieved Microfilm
Air Force Historical Society 600 Chennault Circle, Maxwell AFB, AL 36112-6424	Sergeant Barry Spink	(205) 953-5046	No Information
Air Force Real Estate 105 Brookley Ave, Suite 100 Bolling AFB, DC 20332	Dave McKinney	(202) 767-6233	No Information



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U.S. Air Force Library Air University Library Maxwell AFB, AL, 36112	Janet Seymour	(334) 596-2291	No Information
<b>Army</b>			
US Army Cheem & Biological Defense Command, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD. 21010-5423	Kathleen Ciolfi	(410) 679-4430	No Evidence of Chemical Use at This Site
USACE, North Pacific Division ATTN: CENPD-PL-ER, PO Box 2870 Portland, OR 97208	William Willingh	(503) 326-5609	References
USACE, Office of History, 7701 Telegraph Road Alexandria, VA, 22310-3865	CEHO-SR Dr. Martin Gordon	(703) 355-3558	Real Estate Documents
USACE, Portland District 333 SW 1st St Portland, OR, 97208-2946	Michael Gross John Todd	(503) 326-6489 6491	Real Estate Maps, Documents Site Maps
USACE, Portland District 333 SW 1st St Portland, OR, 97208-2946	Miles Takayesu	(800) 326-6046	Reference for Real Estate Info.
Rock Island Museum, Rock Island, Arsenal, Rock Island IL, 61204	Chris Leinicke	(309) 794-3518	Technical Manuals
USACE, Seattle District Real Estate, 4735 E Marginal Way South, Seattle, WA, 98134	Cindy Luciano Wayne Kieffer	(206) 764-3745	Documents

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AMCCOM Historical Office Bldg. 110, Rock Island Arsenal Rock Island, IL, 61204	Dr. Herb Lafore	(309)782-1276	No Information
Historical Accident Data Base USATCES, SMCAC-EM Savanna IL 61074-9639	Computer Search	(815)273-8730	No Information
AMCCOM Historical Office Bldg. 110, Rock Island Arsenal Rock Island, IL, 61204	Dr. Herb Lafore	(309)782-1276	No Information
<b>Marine Corps</b>			
Marine Corps Historical Ctr., Bldg. 58, Washington Naval Yar Washington, DC 20374	CEHO-SR	(202)433-3483	See Appendix B, Section II
<b>Navy</b>			
Navy Historical Center Bldg 57, Washington Naval Yard Washington, DC 20374	CEHO-SR	(202)433-3171	See Appendix B, Section II
<b>Federal Agencies</b>			
National Climatic Data Center Federal Bldg, Asheville, NC 28801	Yolanda Goosch	(704)271-4272	Climatic Data
Dept of Interior, Geological Survey, Reston, VA 22092	Dave Keys	(703)648-5956	No Information

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Council on America's Past 518 Why Worry Lane Phoenix, AZ 85021	Heliogram Pub	(800)396-4693	No Information
Oregon Bureau of Land Mgt. 1515 SW 5th St, PO Box2965 Portland, OR 97208	Linda Sullivan	(202)767-6233	Documents
USDA, Aerial Photography Office PO BX 30010, Salt Lake City, UT	Sherrie Holyoak	(801)975-3503	Aerial Photos after 1956
USGS. Distribution Branch BX 25286, Bldg 810, Federal Ctr Denver, CO80225	Carol Lark	(303)236-7476	Topographical Maps
USDA, Natural Resources Div 2455 Patterson ST. Suite 3 Klamath Falls, OR 97603	Gail Clark	(503)883-6932	Aerial Photos recieved
Center of Military History, 1099 14ST. NW, Washington DC DC, 20536	CEHO/SR	(202)761-5416	See Appendix B, Section II
<b>General Services Administration</b>			
National Archives II Military Reference Branch 8601 Adelphi Rd., College Park, MD, 2074	Staff	(202)501-5455	See Appendix B, Section II

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Air National Guard  
Kingsley Field  
Klamath Falls, OR 97603

Chief Master (503)885-6350 Interview I-4  
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Army National Guard  
2501 Shasta Way  
Klamath Falls, OR 97603

Sergeant Pence (503)884-6590 No Information

Oregon Natural Heritage Program  
PO BX 59, Portland OR, 97207

Connie Levesque (503)229-5078 Referrals

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PO BX 59, Portland OR, 97207

Martin Nugent (503)229-5454 Wildlife diversity plan

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3201 Campus Drive  
Klamath Falls, Oregon, 97603

Karen Chase (503)885-1770 No Information

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Quality, 811 SW 6th St.  
Portland Oregon, 97310

Olivia Jonason (503)229-6854 Environmental Plan

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Library, 1250 Siskiyou, Blvd  
Ashland, OR, 97520-5076

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Oregon State Library 250 Winter ST, Salem OR, 97310	Alden Moberg	(503)378-4243	State Archives, Site Information
Oregon State University William Jasper Kerr Library Corvallis, Or 97331	John Donel	(503)737-6154	No Information
SHPO State Parks & Rec. Dept. 1115 Commercial St. NE Salem, OR 97310	Elizabeth Potter	(503)378-5001	No Information
Southern Oregon State College Library, 1250 Siskiyou, Blvd Ashland, OR, 97520-5076	Harold Otness	(503)552-6839	Referrals
Southern Oregon State College Library, 1250 Siskiyou, Blvd Ashland, OR, 97520-5076	Debra Hollins	(503)552-6850	No Information
<b>City</b>			
City of Klamath Falls Planning Dept. 226 S 5th ST Klamath Falls, OR, 97601	Joe Riker	(503)883-5361	Interview
Klamath County Clerk 226 S 5th ST Klamath Falls, OR, 97601	Lynette Freitag	(503)883-5134	Records, maps, deeds

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Klamath County Sheriff 3201 Vandenburg RD, Klamath Falls, OR 97603	Deputy Michael Griffin	(503)883-5130	No Incidents on Site
Klamath Falls Police Department 425 Walnut Ave Klamath Falls, OR 97603	Sergeant Flocchini	(503)883-5336	Interview I-3
Oregon Institute of Technology Klamath Falls, OR 97603	Karen Chase	(503)885-1770	No Information
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Knight-Ridder Information Inc. 2440 El Camino Real, Mountain View, CA 94040	Computer Search	(800)334-2564	No Information
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Maxine Wirth PO Box 477, 2737 Old Fort Road Klamath Falls, OR, 97601	Land Owner	(503)882-3260	Interview I-1
Mrs. Allen Laird 3475 Old Fort Road Klamath Falls, OR, 97601	Adjacent Land	(503)882-1770	Referral
Mr. Kenny Hertz Klamath Falls, OR, 97601	U.S. Army National Guard Retired	(503)882-2421	Interview I-5



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### Glossary

AR	Army Regulation
BD/DR	Building Demolition/Debris Removal
CEHEND	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division
CENPP	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Portland District
CENCR	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Rock Island District
CEREAL	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
CON/HTRW	Containerized Hazardous, Toxic and Radiological Waste
DA	Department of Army
DERP	Defense Environmental Restoration Program
DLA	Defense Logistics Agency
DOD	Department of Defense
DOI	Department of Interior
EE/CA	Engineering Evaluation Cost Analysis
ESI	Expanded Site Inspection
EOD	Explosive Ordnance Disposal
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FDE	Findings and Determination of Eligibility
FUDS	Former Used Defense Site(s)
HTRW	Hazardous, Toxic and Radiological Waste
INPR	Inventory Project Report
IRA	Interim Remedial Action
NARA	National Archives Records Administration
OE	Ordnance and Explosives
PA	Preliminary Assessment
P.N.	Project Number
RAE	Remedial Action
ARC	Risk Assessment Code
RD	Remedial Design
RG	Record Group
RI	Remedial Investigation
RI/FS	Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study
SHOP	State Historic Preservation Office
SARA	Supervened Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SI	Site Investigation or Site Inspection
TM	Technical Manual
USA	U.S. Army
USACE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USADACS	U.S. Army Defense Ammunition Center and School
USAEDH	U.S. Army Engineer Division, Huntsville
USATCES	U.S. Army Technical Center for Explosives Safety
UXO	Unexploded Ordnance
WAA	War Assets Administration
WD	War Department



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or COMP B) rockets are for blast or fragmentation effect. High-explosive antitank (HE, AT) rockets, which contain a shaped charge, are used for penetration of armored targets. Chemical rockets contain a gas for toxic or harassing effect (toxic gases in sublethal concentrations) or a smoke-producing agent for laying a smoke screen. Inert head rockets are used for target practice; the motor contains a propellant charge similar to that of the high-explosive and chemical rockets. Inert rockets are completely inert, both head and motor; they are used for training in handling.

#### **116. Ground Type Rockets**

*a. General.* Ground type rockets of certain types are used by the Army and certain other types are used by the Navy. Calibers currently standardized and in authorized use range from 3.25 to 11.75 inches. Other calibers are currently under development. The 3.5-inch ground type rocket is fired, at relatively short ranges, from shoulder-fired launchers, commonly known as "bazookas." The 3.25-inch ground type is a target rocket fired from a special launcher and used as a moving aerial target for practice in firing antiaircraft weapons. The 4.5-inch rockets used by the Army are the spin-stabilized type used in field operations for ranges up to 10,000 yards and are usually fired from multiple-tube-type launchers. The 4.5-inch rockets used by the Navy and consisting of Navy components are of the shroud-fin-stabilized type, commonly known as the beach barrage type and are fired from Navy launchers. The motors of solid-propelling-charge-type rockets usually contain double-base propellant in single or multiple stick form together with a black powder igniter and an electric squib. The motors of liquid-propelling-charge-type rockets, which are constructed along the same general lines as those of the solid-propelling-charge-type, usually contain one or more acids, anilines, alcohols, or other agents and appropriate oxidizers together with means of ignition.

*b. 3.25-Inch Rocket.* This rocket (fig. 158) is designed to provide a fast-flying target for the training of gun crews operating automatic antiaircraft guns. The target rocket M2A2 has a long motor with a yellow light flare at the nose to provide a night target. The rocket M2A1 is used for daytime firing and has a distinguishable oversize 3-bladed plywood fin. This rocket is fired electrically by igniter M22 from target rocket projector M1. The rocket has a range of 2,350 yards and a maximum velocity of 645 feet per second. Its flare burns from 20 to 30 seconds.

*c. 3.5-Inch Rockets.* These rockets (fig. 159) represent the types used in the 3.5-inch shoulder-type launchers M20A1 and M20A1B1 that have the contactor latch group assembly, which indexes the rocket in the launcher and does away with the lead-in squib wires used on earlier models. These rockets also represent the types used in the 3.5-inch tripod mounted repeating launcher M25. The high-explosive antitank

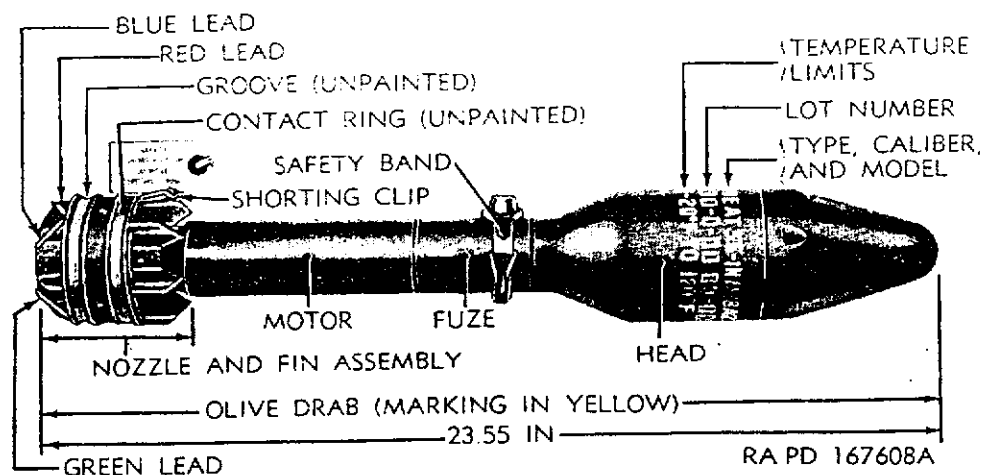


Figure 159. Rocket, HE, AT, 3.5-inch, M28A2.

(HE, AT) rocket M28A2 has the conventional electrically ignited solid propellant motor with fixed fin and uses the base detonating fuze M404A1 with waterproofing safety band. The rocket M28A2 has a velocity of 320 feet per second, will penetrate upwards of 10½ inches of armor-plate, and has a maximum range of 850 yards. The smoke (WP) rocket M30 (T127E3) has the same general shape, weight, and ballistics as the HE, AT rocket M28A2 and uses the same type motor and detonating fuze; the head is filled with white phosphorus for producing screening smoke. The practice rocket M29A2 is the same as the HE, AT rocket M28A2 except that it has cast iron inert head and dummy fuze.

*d. 4.5-Inch Rockets.* These rockets are of three types, the fin-stabilized, the spin-stabilized, and the drill.

- (1) The fin-stabilized type is represented by the Navy barrage-type rockets of which there are the "high capacity" model that has TNT-filled head designated Mk 3 Mod 0 (fig. 158), the smoke (FS)-filled head designated Mk 7 Mod 0, and the smoke (WP)-filled head designated Mk 10 Mod 0.
- (2) The spin-stabilized type is represented by the high-explosive (COMP B) rockets T160E5 and M16A2 (fig. 160); the practice rockets T161E5 and M17A2; the smoke rocket T162; and the chemical rockets T164E1, T165E1, and T166E1. The rockets T160E5—T166 series have longer heads than the M16—M17 series, with a nonalloy-type steel motor. This motor has two bourrelets; is loaded with new-type propellant M16 (T6); and contains igniter T14E2 with the squib M1A1. The rockets M16A2 and M17A2 have the older-type head and alloy-steel motor. The high-explosive rockets T160E5 and M16A2 use the fuze M81A1, which is an assembly of the M48A3 fuze and the M24 booster, or the VT fuze M402A1. The heads of these

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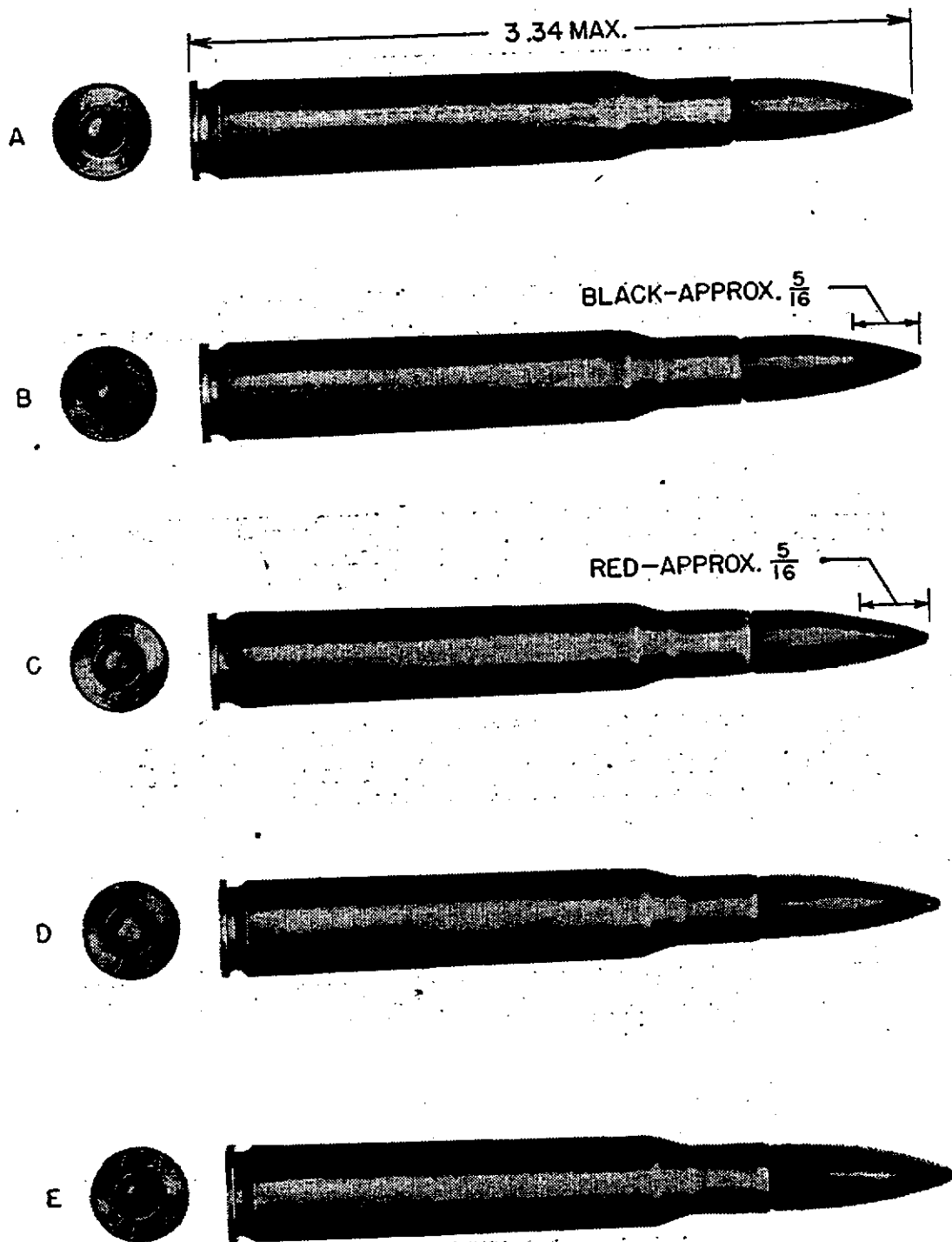
**41. Types.**—*a.* The ammunition described in this chapter is designed for use in all standard rifles and machine guns of caliber .30. It includes cartridges of the following types: armor-piercing, ball, tracer, incendiary, blank, dummy, guard, and high-pressure test. (See figs. 17-20.)

*b.* Cartridges which differ in the type of cartridge case, such as subcaliber, caliber .30, and carbine, caliber .30, are described in chapter 5.

**42. Identification.**—*a.* In common with all other small-arms ammunition, caliber .30 cartridges are identified by the markings on the packing boxes and cartons and by the identification card. These included the type, caliber, model, manufacturer's symbol, and ammunition lot number. For further information see section III, chapter 1.

*b.* Physical differences in the cartridges are described in the sections on the several cartridges.

**43. Grades and uses.**—For information concerning grades and uses see paragraph 13 and OFSB No. 3-5.



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- A. Cartridge, ball, caliber .30, M2. D. Cartridge, ball, caliber .30, M1.  
B. Cartridge, armor-piercing, caliber .30, M2. E. Cartridge, ball, caliber .30, M2, national match.  
C. Cartridge, tracer, caliber .30, M1.

FIGURE 19.—Armor-piercing, ball, and tracer cartridges, caliber .30.

## SECTION II

## CARTRIDGE, BALL, CALIBER .45, M1911

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**71. Description.**—*a. General.*—This cartridge (fig. 21) is a current standard item of issue and is used in the automatic pistol, M1911 and M1911A1, the Colt revolver M1917, the Smith and Wesson revolver M1917, and the Thompson submachine gun M1928 and M1928A1, against personnel. To adapt it for use in the revolvers, it must be assembled in clips designed for this purpose. These clips are described in paragraph 12.

*b. Components.*—(1) The cartridge consists of the cartridge case, primer, propelling charge, and the bullet. The complete assembly weighs approximately 327 grains.

(2) The case, primer, and propelling charge for this cartridge are described in section II, chapter 1.

(3) The bullet has a round nose and a flat base. It consists of two parts, a gilding metal jacket and slug of lead hardened with antimony. In early designs bullet jackets were made of cupro-nickel and these have a silvery appearance. This was later changed to gilding metal which was given thin tin wash which has a close resemblance to the cupro-nickel jacket. The practice of tinning the jackets has since been discontinued and the bullets of current design have the natural copper color of gilding metal. The over-all length of the bullet is 0.68 inch. The mouth of the case may be crimped to the bullet and a pull of approximately 40 pounds is required to remove the bullet from the case.

**72. Exterior ballistics.**—*a. Maximum range.*—(1) In pistol, 1,600 yards.

(2) In submachine gun, 1,700 yards.

*b. Pressure.*—14,000 pounds per square inch.

*c. Velocity.*—(1) *Pistol.*—(a) 25.5 feet, 820 feet per second.

(b) Muzzle, 825 feet per second.

(2) *Submachine gun.*—(a) At 25.5 feet, 885 feet per second.

(b) At muzzle, 990 feet per second.

*d. Muzzle energy.*—(1) 329 foot-pounds in pistol.

(2) 383 foot-pounds in submachine gun.

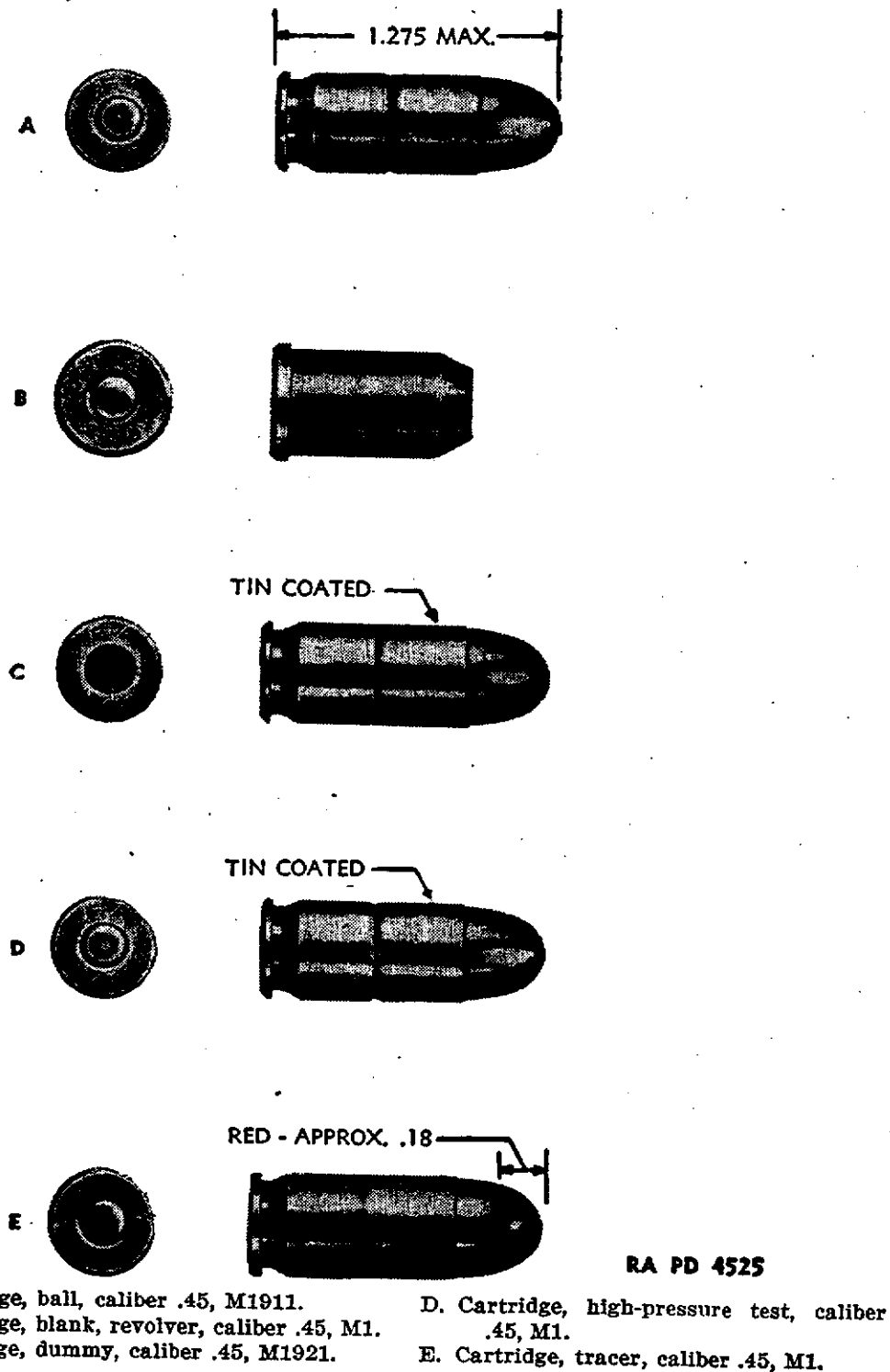


FIGURE 21.—Cartridges, caliber .45.

*c. Components.*—The cartridge consists of the cartridge case, primer, propelling charge, and bullet. The complete assembly weighs approximately 303 grains.

(1) The cartridge case, primer, and propelling charge for this cartridge are described in section II, chapter 1.



## Chapter 8 Rockets

### 8-1. Firing conditions

The requirements in this chapter apply to the 35mm M73 practice rocket, 66mm M72 light antitank weapon (LAW) rocket, 66mm M74 incendiary rocket, and 3.5-inch rocket.

a. Before firing, the danger zone to the rear of the launcher will be cleared of personnel, materiel, and vegetation.

b. The danger zone to the rear of the launcher (Area F) is an isosceles triangle with apex at the breech and the width of triangle corresponding with rearward extension of line of fire. Base and depth of triangles are shown in table 8-1.

c. When firing the 35mm, 66mm, or 3.5-inch rockets from shoulder launchers, all loading preparation for firing and unloading will be on the firing line, with the muzzle pointed downrange.

d. When firing the 3.5-inch rocket from the shoulder, firing personnel will wear protective goggles at temperatures of 70 degrees Fahrenheit and above. At temperatures below 70 degrees Fahrenheit, the field pro-

TECTIVE mask will be worn to protect the eyes and face from small particles of unburned propellant that may be blown from the rear of the rocket as it leaves the muzzle of the launcher.

e. All backblast areas are doubled and firers should wear protective masks when the LAW is fired in temperatures below freezing.

f. Rockets will not be fired over the head of unprotected friendly troops unless protection provided against direct impact is adequate to defeat the type of rocket being fired.

### 8-2. 66mm LAW, M72 series; 66mm incendiary rocket, M74; and 35mm subcaliber practice rocket, M73

The danger zone for firing these weapons is shown in figure 8-1. Distances for Areas A, B, X, and F are given in table 8-1.

### 8-3. 3.5-inch rocket launcher

The dimensions shown in table 8-1 and figure 8-1 will be used to determine the danger zone for firing the 3.5-inch rocket launcher at fixed targets or moving ground targets.

**Table 8-1**  
**Rocket launchers**  
(Dimensions of areas in meters)  
(See fig 8-1.)

Weapon	A	B	Minimum range to impact	X	F	
					Depth	Base
3.5-inch rockets	250	250	250 <sup>1</sup>	950	70	70
66mm HEAT rocket M72	250	250	75	1000	40	25
66mm incendiary rocket M74	100	100	50	1000	40	38
35mm subcaliber (Practice rocket M73)	100	100	50	1150 <sup>1</sup>	40	25

**Notes:**

1. May be reduced 80 percent for short limit of target when firing nonexplosive warhead from unprotected positions or explosive warhead from protected positions.
2. May be reduced by waiver if there is steeply rising terrain behind the target or overhead baffles and positive controls are used to limit elevation of the launcher at the firing position.

Elevation (degrees)	Range (meters)	Maximum Ordinate (meters)
5	343	8
10	591	30
15	776	62
30	1082	203

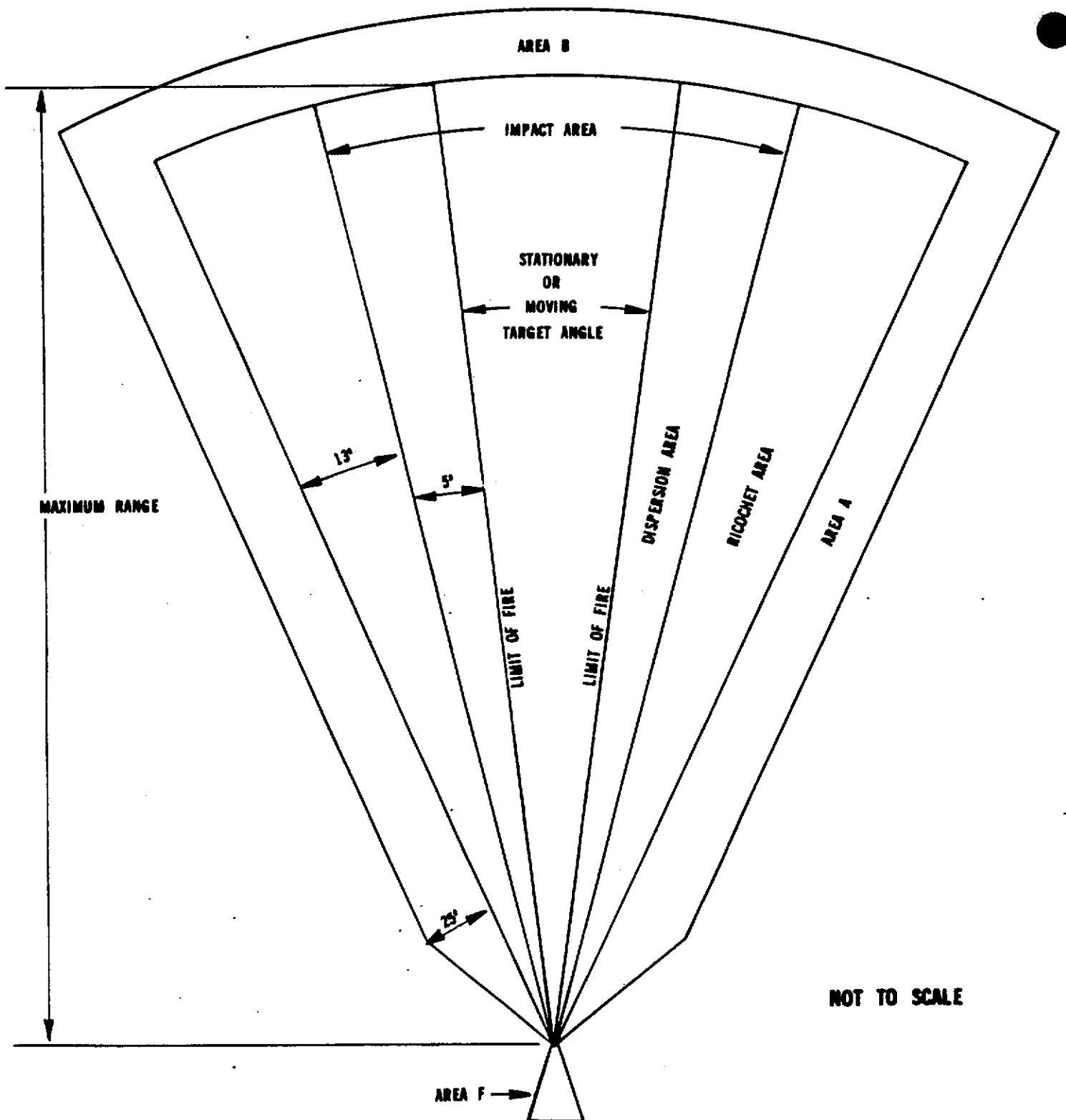
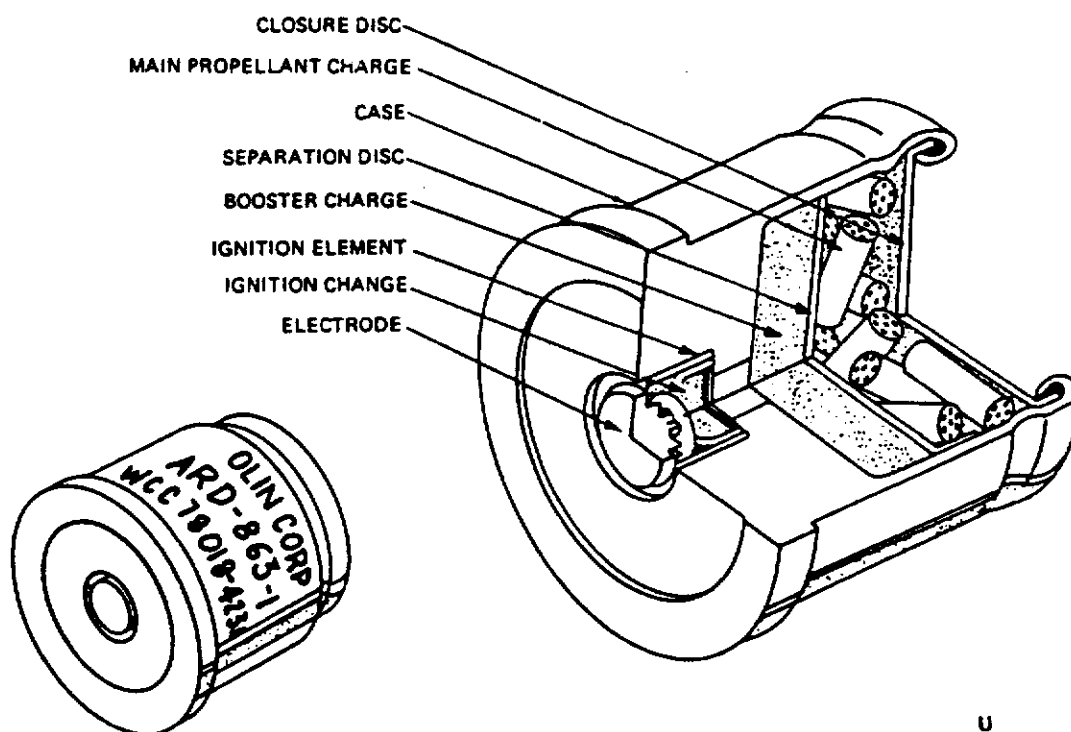


Figure 8-1. Surface danger zone for rocket launcher firing at fixed or moving ground target (See table 8-1.)

## CARTRIDGE, IMPULSE: ARD-863-1 (M189)

U  
AR 4271**Type Classification:**

Refer to Aircraft Subsystem.

**Use:**

For external stores ejection on the AH-1 series helicopter.

**Description:**

The ARD-863-1 Impulse Cartridge is a standardized store ejection and release car-

tridge and consists of a cylindrical aluminum alloy case and ignition element (electrode, bridgewire, and ignition charge) and a separation disc. The CCU-44/B Impulse Cartridge NSN-1377-01-033-2622 (MD66) is a suitable substitute for the ARD-863-1 (M189).

**Functioning:**

Upon receipt of an electrical signal the ignition element is fired and the resulting gas pressure ignites the main charge. When sufficient pressure is developed, the closure disc ruptures and the released gas pressure actuates the release/ejector mechanism.

**Functioning:**

When the cable cutter switch is operated, electrical current initiates the cartridge in the cable cutter. The expanding gas from the cartridge forces the punch against one side of the cable as the other side of the hoist cable is forced against the anvil in the cable cutter. The cutting edge of the punch severs and releases the cable and its load from the hoist. The cutting punch also secures the reeved end of the hoist cable in the cable cutter, thus preventing whiplash.

**Tabulated Data:**

NSN .....	1377-00-999-7463
DODIC .....	M162
Drawing number .....	2518426
Vendor (CAGE Code) and part number .....	(40912) MSA96713
Item weight .....	0.04 lb (0.02 kg)
Diameter .....	0.500 in. (1.27 cm)
Length .....	2.109 in. (5.36 cm)
Method of actuation .....	Electrical 5 amperes
Body material .....	Brass
Propellant/explosive material:	
Type .....	Double base
Weight .....	0.0003 lb (2.10 grains)

**Performance:****Firing Temperature Limits:**

Upper .....	+160°F (+71°C)
Lower .....	-65°F (-54°C)

**Packaging:****Inner Container:**

Reference .....	MIL-C-10464
Type .....	Type 1 hermeti- cally sealed metal container
Dimensions .....	2.625 x 2.625 x 1.5 in.
Items per package .....	2

**Outer Container:**

Reference .....	PPP-C-1672
Type .....	Fiberboard box
Dimensions .....	17 x 12 x 9 in. (43.18 x 30.48 x 22.86 cm)
Weight .....	2 lb
Cube .....	0.464 cu ft

**Shipping and Storage Data:**

Quantity distance class .....	1.4
Storage compatibility group .....	S
DOT shipping class .....	C
DOT designation .....	Small Arms Ammunition, Class C Explosive, Handle Carefully, Keep Fire Away

**References:**

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DEFENSE ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION ACCOUNT  
FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITES PROGRAM  
FINDINGS AND DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY

KINGSLEY FIRING RANGE ANNEX, OREGON

SITE NUMBER F10OR056900

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Department of the Air Force acquired 44.46 acres of fee lands and 1.88 acres of easement lands by transfer from the General Services Administration (GSA) on 8 June 1965. An additional 160.00 acres were leased for use as an impact area. The original lease ran from 4 April 1955 to 1 July 1975 and a second lease ran from 1 July 1975 to 31 December 1975. The acquisition information available is incomplete. The total area of the firing range was 206.34 acres.


2. The improvements constructed at the site were used in connection with the Kingsley Firing Range Annex. The site was determined to be under DOD control during the period of DOD jurisdiction and use.

3. The 160.00 acre lease was terminated on 31 December 1975. The 44.46 acres fee and 1.88 acres easement were excessed to the GSA on 9 August 1977. The GSA conveyed the 46.34 acres to the Heritage Conservation & Recreation Service who quitclaim deeded the lands to the City of Klamath Falls on 31 August 1979. The deed contained a recapture clause and in 1986, the City of Klamath Falls passed a resolution to prepare documents for the reversion of the property to the United States. In December 1987, the GSA acknowledged receipt of the reverted property. The GSA subsequently disposed of the 46.34 acres. All of the parcels are currently in private ownership. The disposal records are incomplete. The total acreage excessed was 206.34 acres.

DETERMINATION

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact, the site has been determined to be formerly used by the Department of Defense. It is therefore eligible for the Defense Environmental Restoration Program - Formerly Used Defense Sites established under 10 U.S.C. 2701, et seq.

23 Oct 93  
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PROJECT SUMMARY SHEET  
FOR  
--DERP-FUDS OEW PROJECT F10OR056901  
KINGSLEY FIRING RANGE ANNEX, OREGON  
SITE NO. F10OR019100  
9 OCT 92

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This is a former Air Force small arms firing range. The entire range was fenced and there are two locked gates on the access road to the range. There is a low-density residential area under development adjacent to the range, but the range fence and the second of the two locked gates separates the two properties. During the two telephone interviews, neither of the local contacts mentioned finding any munitions or debris, however, during the site visit, a rifle shell (7.62mm? brass) and a 40mm? shell casing were found. Records indicate that the leased property was inspected and cleared of any ordnance prior to the termination of the lease.

PROJECT ELIGIBILITY: Records indicate that the area was used by the Air Force for small arms practice.

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS: There is no policy applicable to this project.

PROPOSED ACTIVITIES: The INPR should be referred to HND for a determination of further action.

RAC: Attached. The RAC score is II-B, RAC 2.

POC: Michael Gross, CENPP-PE-DC, (503) 326-6489.



FACT SHEET ON KINGSLEY FIRING RANGE ANNEX--F10OR019100

1. Acquired:

- a. Tract P--By transfer (formerly Tract M) by letter dated 21 May 65 (accepted 8 Jun 65) from GSA.
- b. Tract Q--By transfer (formerly Tract N) by letter dated 21 May 65 (accepted 8 Jun 65) from GSA.
- c. Tract 600--By transfer effective 1 Jan 66 from Klamath Falls Army National Guard Rifle Range.

2. Area Acquired:

- a. Tract P--44.46 acres fee.
- b. Tract Q--1.88 acres easement.
- c. Tract 600--160.00 acres lease.

3. Legal Description:

- a. Tract P--SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec. 15, NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec. 15, SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 Sec. 14, and SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 Sec. 14, T.38S., R.9E., W.M.
- b. Tract Q--NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec. 15, T.38S., R.9E., W.M.
- c. Tract 600--N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 23 and N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 23, T.38S., R.9E., W.M.

4. Disposed:

- a. Tract P--Conveyed to Dept. of Interior (Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service; part of National Park Service but disbanded in 1982) to City of Klamath Falls by quitclaim deed dated 31 Aug 79. City of Klamath Falls returned the property to GSA in 1987. (Fabian Hughey in San Francisco GSA office is the account person. Control No. 9-GR(1)-OR-434J (should be F). Property subsequently sold to S.K. Madan, P.O. Box 70910, Pasadena, CA 91107, (XXX) 250-1188, current owner, per county assessor's office telecon 3-19-92, assessor's office.
- b. Tract Q--Conveyed to Dept. of Interior (Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service) to City of Klamath Falls by quitclaim deed dated 31 Aug 79. County assessor's office didn't show a current owner, but since it is an easement for access, it is probably a county or city road.

pit where we found old metal cans of the type used in military rations, used brass (7.62mm), a used shell (approx. 40mm), and a metal band of the type used to enclose ammunition boxes. I walked along the fence and found two old, weathered signs that said: EXPLOSIVES DISPOSAL AREA KEEP OUT and DANGER SMALL ARMS FIRING IN PROGRESS KEEP OUT. These signs were mounted on the barbed wire fence that separates the range area from the county road. The fence has several areas where the wire is broken and allows easy entry. Approximately 1/4 mile northeast of the disposal pit is another range area. We did not do into this range and there were no structures noted there.

4. We concluded that none of the remaining structures qualified for the DERP program, because they are all in fair shape and in no danger of collapse. The range is eligible for further study, at least, due to the materials found at the disposal pit and the fact that this was a range area.

*Jerry R. Gardenhire*  
Jerry R. Gardenhire  
Civil Engineer

ORDNANCE AND EXPLOSIVES  
ARCHIVES SEARCH REPORT  
FOR  
THE FORMER  
KINGSLEY FIRING RANGE ANNEX  
KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON  
PROJECT NUMBER F10OR056901

APPENDIX F

LETTERS/MEMORANDUMS/MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

## APPENDIX F

### LETTERS/MEMORANDUMS/MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

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## GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



Utilization & Disposal Service  
GSA Center  
Auburn, Washington  
TEmples 3-6500, Ext. 265  
Area Code 206

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* The information below must appear \*  
\* in lower left corner of bid \*  
\* envelope: \*  
\* \*  
\* Invitation No. 10UR-164 \*  
\* Bid Opening: December 15, 1964 \*  
\* Time: 11:00 A. M., PST \*  
\* Bid for Real Property - Purchase \*  
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### INVITATION FOR BIDS, BID AND ACCEPTANCE FOR SALE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Former Marine Recuperational Barracks  
Klamath Falls, Oregon  
GR-Ore-470A

Approximately 674 acres of land with improvements

### INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids, in duplicate, for the purchase of the Government property described in the schedule portion of this Invitation for Bids will be received until 11:00 A. M., PST, December 15, 1964, and then publicly opened and recorded at the General Services Administration Office, Room 101, Federal Office Building, 909 First Avenue, Seattle, Washington.

This Invitation for Bids is issued subject to, and bids submitted pursuant to this Invitation for Bids must be in compliance with and subject to the provisions of this Invitation for Bids, including the Schedule portion thereof, and (1) the Instructions to Bidders, GSA Form 1741; (2) the General Terms of Sale, GSA Form 1742; (3) the Special Terms of Sale, Invitation No. 10UR-164 and (4) the provisions of the Bid Form and Acceptance, all of which are attached to this Invitation for Bids and by this reference made a part thereof.

### SCHEDULE

The property offered herein consists of approximately 674 acres and 84 buildings plus approximately 10.8 acres of utility easements. It was formerly the campus of the Oregon Technical Institute and is located within

SALES PARCEL IS CROSSHATCHED AREA

U. S. AIR FORCE  
RIFLE RANGE

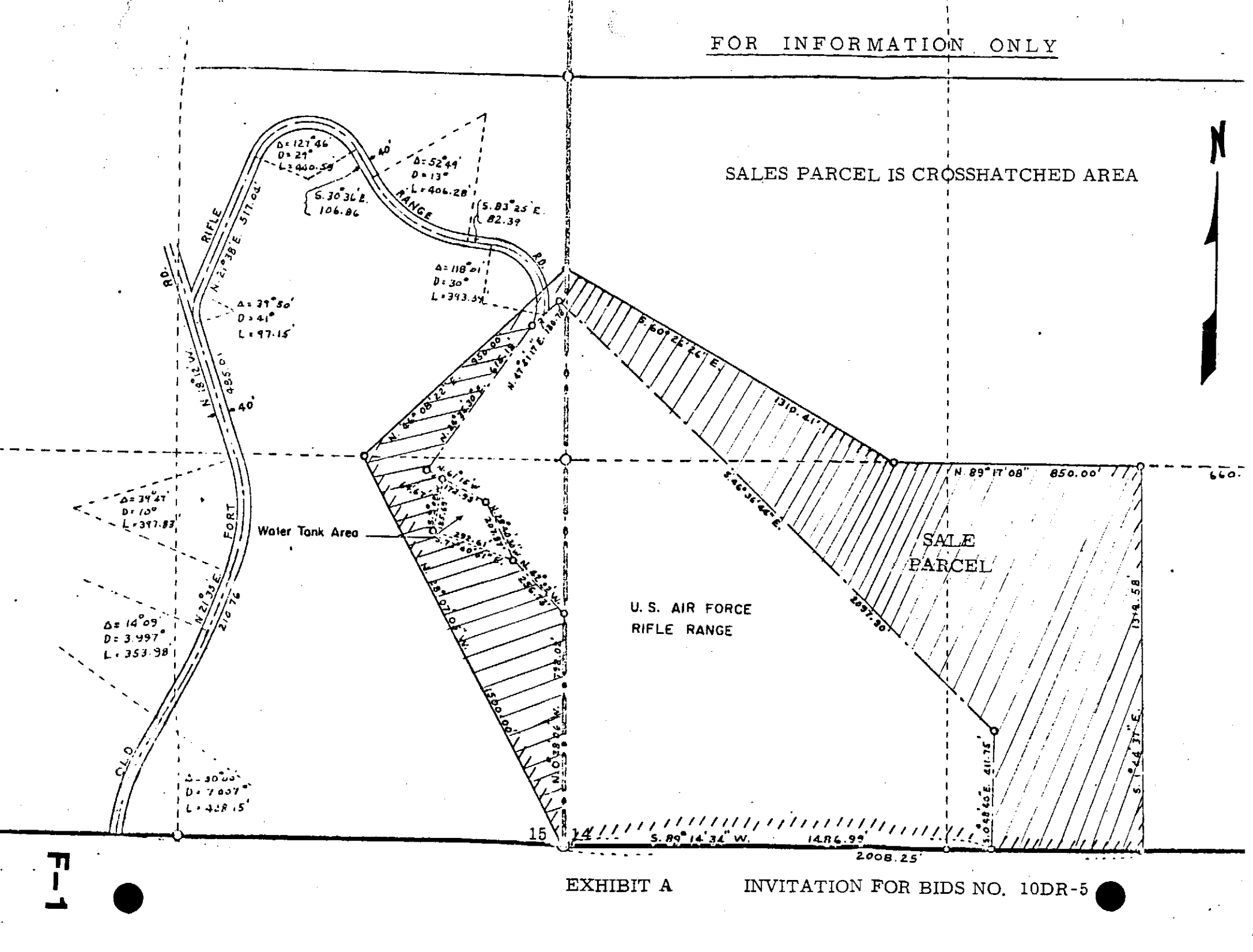
SALE  
PARCEL

Water Tank Area

EXHIBIT A

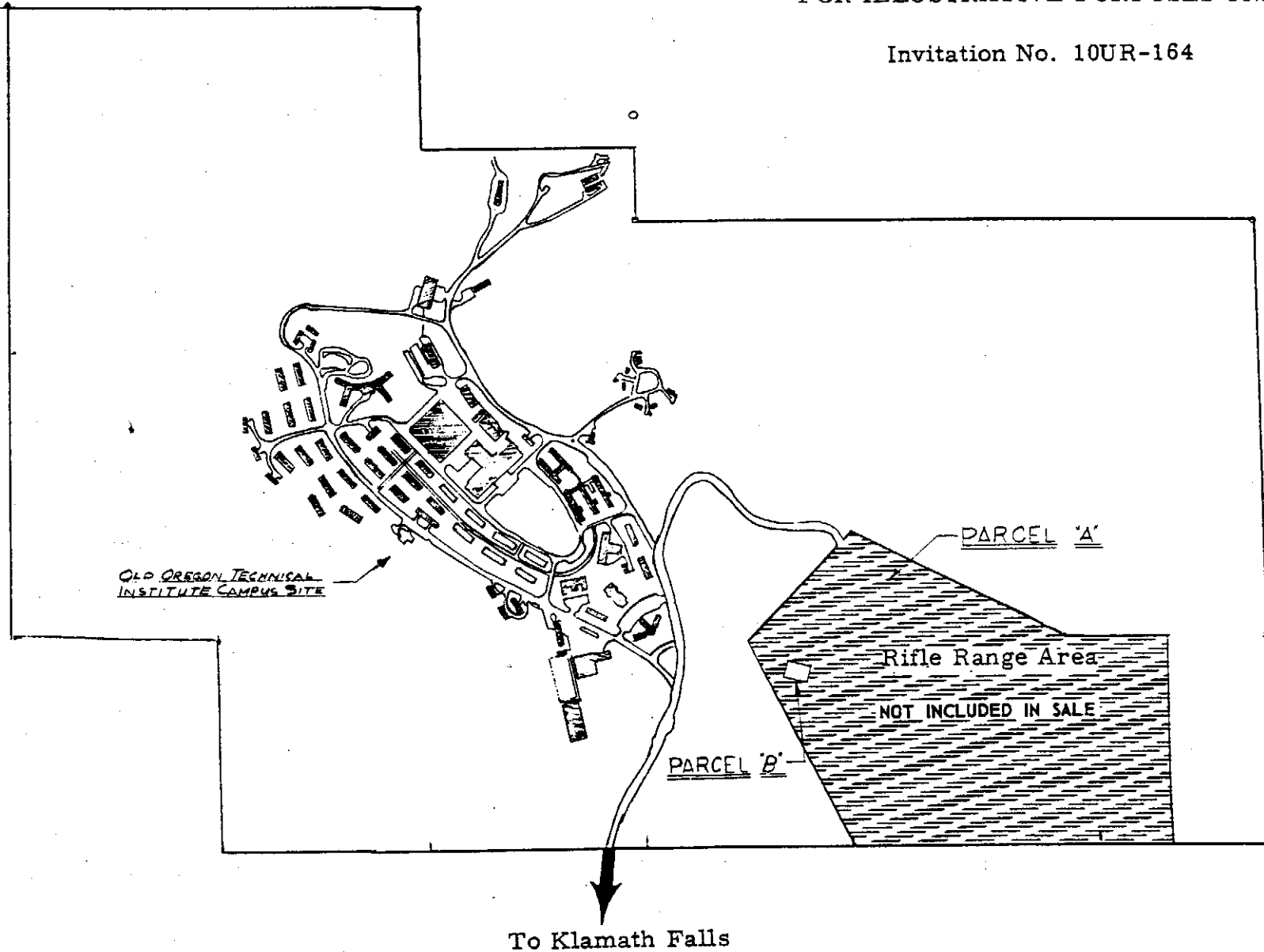
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FOR ILLUSTRATIVE PURPOSES ONLY

Invitation No. 10UR-164



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Barracks  
Klamath Falls, Ore.  
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ORDNANCE AND EXPLOSIVES  
ARCHIVES SEARCH REPORT  
FOR  
THE FORMER  
KINGSLEY FIRING RANGE ANNEX  
KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON  
PROJECT NUMBER F10OR056901

APPENDIX G

REAL ESTATE DOCUMENTS



## APPENDIX G

### REAL ESTATE DOCUMENTS

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In reply refer to: AGR-0

August 1, 1947

TO: Regional Director-FRD-~~FILE~~  
Portland, Oregon

FROM: Associate General Counsel  
for Real Property Disposal- AGR

SUBJECT: Quitclaim Deed Covering U. S. Marine  
Recreational Barracks, Klamath Falls,  
Oregon, WAA-32-RPD-282

B. W. Pendarvis  
Checked  
Legal Kardon

Reference is made to your letter of June 2, 1947, transmitting proposed form of Quitclaim Deed for the disposal of the subject property to the State of Oregon.

There are transmitted herewith original and three copies of a sample form of deed which should be used in lieu of the proposed instrument submitted by you.

It will be noted that no reservation of fissionable materials or rights pertaining thereto are contained in the instrument for the reason that the Department of Interior has advised this Administration that the same do not exist in substantial quantities. Your attention is further invited to condition No. 10 of the recommendation in the memorandum to the Real Property Review Board approved by that Board which provides for payment of external administrative expenses by the State. This should be accomplished simultaneously with or prior to the execution of the conveyance instrument, this being a condition precedent to transfer.

The personality should be transferred by utilization of the attached bill of sale which may be modified in the event that the requirements of the law of the State of Oregon warrant the same.

Subject to the foregoing comments, the instrument may be executed. After execution, please transmit to this office conformed copies thereof, together with the documentation required by Real Property Letter No. 45.

HURLBY \_\_\_\_\_ AGR-0  
HILLER \_\_\_\_\_ AGR-0

MEHiller/73823/esl  
AG-Real Prop Div-AGR-0  
Rm 291-Annex 2

(SIGNED) JOHN A. LOOMIS

LOOMIS

cc: Gen Csl-AG  
Zone Adm-VI  
Actg Dep Adm-PD  
Gen Serv File-AGR-0  
R P File

- Attachments: (2)  
1. Quitclaim Deed (4)  
2. Bill of Sale (1)

Form SPB-5  
(10-1-55)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD

This Form No. 16-R005.2  
Approved expires May 1, 1956

# DECLARATION OF SURPLUS REAL PROPERTY

(In the continental United States, its Territories and possessions)  
to the Surplus Property Board, Washington 25, D. C.

IMPORTANT: Instructions for completing this form appear on reverse.

1. FROM **Real Estate Division, Bureau of Yards & Docks  
Navy Department, Bureau of Yards & Docks Annex  
Washington 25, D. C.**

2. LOCATION OF PROPERTY (ATTACH MAP)  
**Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon**

3. REPRESENTATIVES TO CONTACT  
**Commanding Officer, Marine Recuperational  
Barracks, Klamath Falls, Oregon**

4. USE OF PROPERTY WHEN ACQUIRED  
**Grazing and farm land.**

5. OPINION OF BEST FUTURE USE  
**Recreational area and grazing land.**

7. DATE		8. REPORTING AGENCY No. <b>88</b>	
9. SURPLUS PROPERTY BOARD No. <b>N. -Ore. 35</b>		10. DISPOSAL AGENCY No.	
11. APPROXIMATE AREA <b>734.26 Acres</b>			
12. COST OF PROPERTY			
ACQUISITION		\$ <b>3,620.00</b>	
BETTERMENTS		\$ <b>5,777,700.00</b>	
TOTAL		\$ <b>5,781,320.00</b>	
13. PROCEEDS, IF "REIMBURSABLE", GIVE SYMBOL AND TITLE OF APPROPRIATION OR GOVERNMENT CORPORATION.			

## 6. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

The Navy Department hereby declares as surplus the following:

(1) Tract of approximately 734.26 acres of land, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, acquired by the Government at a cost of \$2,438.00, through the institution of condemnation proceedings on July 10, 1944, by the Navy Department.

(2) A perpetual easement over 10.73 acres of land for sewer and power lines to the above tract, together with the improvements thereon, acquired by the Government at a cost of \$1,182.00, through institution of condemnation proceedings on January 4, 1944 by the Navy Department.

All of the above mentioned property is located at Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, and was used as a recuperational hospital for the United States Marine Corps.

The Government improved the property at a cost of approximately \$5,777,700.00 by erecting installations thereon which include quarters, hospital, rehabilitation school, administration building, storehouses, dispensary, laboratory, bakery, garage, gasoline filling station, stable heating plant, guardhouse, firehouse, auditorium, gymnasium and swimming pool.

The State of Oregon has informally expressed an interest in obtaining the property declared surplus. The Bureau of Reclamation of the Department of the Interior has expressed an interest in obtaining the automotive equipment. The former owners of this property are F.C. Carlson, Frank Chitwood, C.C. Hard, D.D. & D. Liskey, H.V. Lewis, Clara Collman and S.G. Budden, all of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

## DO NOT FILL IN

FORWARDED BY SPB TO:

## 14. AUTHORIZED BY

**WILLIS R. DUDLEY**

(Name of reporting official (please type))

**Acting Head, Real Estate Division**

(Title (please type))

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

BY \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of authorized official)

**G-2**

(4-4-55-1)

HEADQUARTERS

KINGSLEY FIELD and 408TH COMBAT SUPPORT SQUADRON(ADC)

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
KINGSLEY FIELD, OREGON 97601



24 SEP 1964

REPLY TO  
ATTN OF: 408B-IDC-RP

SUBJECT: Acquisition, Transfer & Easement Land at Former OTI Campus

TO: 25 Air Div (25IRP-PE1)

1. Request necessary action be taken to transfer to the Air Force approximately 90 acres of land which has been reported as excess to GSA. The area is located at the former OTI campus, and is indicated as parcel A on attached drawing #KNG 900-038.
2. Further request an easement for an existing access road indicated as parcel B on referenced drawing.
3. OTI has constructed a new campus at another site in Klamath Falls, and has evacuated this site. The land requested by us will no longer be utilized by them.
4. Parcel A is a rifle range, and will be utilized as such by us.
5. Justification for acquisition in accordance with par 9d(1) thru (5), par 16 & 24, is as follows:

a. Real property to be acquired in transfer is a tract of land indicated as parcel A, less the area indicated as parcel C, on the attached drawing, and an easement for the access road indicated as parcel B. A rifle range exists on parcel A consisting of target pits, 200, 300 & 500 yard mounds, and 2 ea target frames. The area is located approximately 12 miles northeast of Kingsley Field.

b. Parcel A containing approximately 90 acres will be utilized as a firing range for training and maintaining proficiency in the use of fire arms as required by AFM 50-25, and AFRs 50-8 and 50-13. Kingsley Field does not have a range nor is there a suitable and/or large enough area available on the base to establish one. This firing range is the only one available in the area without sending personnel TDY to qualify and become proficient in the use of their weapons. Kingsley Field has been using the range through a verbal agreement with the director of OTI but use was rather limited under those conditions with firing on the range at a minimum. Now that OTI has evacuated the site Kingsley Field personnel will have to be sent TDY to qualify with their weapons

unless the area is acquired by the Air Force. Parcel B is an existing access road into the range: an easement 12.5' bot. sides the center line is required for utilization and maintenance of the road.

c. As stated in par 5b, above, the base has had limited use of the range in the past, to meet the requirement.

d. Possession is required at the earliest possible date, and occupancy will be required for the duration of operation at Kingsley Field as a military operation at Kingsley Field.

e. Estimated cost of easement unknown.

f. Fund citation unknown.

g. No services or utilities, etc to be provided.

h. No other government owned real property is available in the area to meet the requirement.

i. Certificate of Necessity not required.

j. The land is a precipitous wooded area, completely unsuitable for farming or home sites. Excepting the access road only that portion of the land in the immediate vicinity of the firing range has been utilized. The remainder of the area is idle. No immediate maintenance is required; only nominal future maintenance on the access road and firing range is anticipated.

k. The only rehabilitation, modification, alteration or other improvement anticipated is fencing and posting of the area to preclude children wandering into the area, cost approximately \$4,000. Maintenance of the access road and firing range is estimated at \$500 annually.

l. Not required in place of new construction previously requested and disapproved.

m. No storage and warehousing facilities are required.

FOR THE BASE COMMANDER

*M. Dan Tanian*  
M. DAN TANELIAN  
Super. Gen. Engineer

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1. Dwg #900-038 (sepia, 5 cy)
2. Statement of Review

Cy to:

AFRCE-NP (Mr Webb)

U. S. ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, SEATTLE  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
1519 ALASKAN WAY SOUTH  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98134

*Rossie*

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DISTRICT ENGINEER  
(NOT TO INDIVIDUALS)

8 February 1965

REFER TO NPSRE-AQ-P Firing Range at Former  
Oregon Technical Institute, Klamath Falls,  
Oregon

General Services Administration  
Region 10  
Auburn, Washington

Gentlemen:

The inclosed Request for Transfer of Excess Real Property includes the firing range and access road at the above noted facility less Parcel C as identified on the inclosed drawing. A 25 foot wide easement is requested for the access road (Parcel B) for a distance of 3600 feet. A reservation for the water line (location unknown) may be included in the transfer.

Sincerely,

*M. M. Christiansen*

- 2 Incl  
1. Request (quad)  
2. Dwg KNG 900-038 (trip)

M. M. CHRISTIANSEN  
Chief, Acquisition Branch  
Real Estate Division

*Can we describe this OK,?*

*Mr. Christiansen  
will check  
2-18  
of parcel  
Acquisition  
Description  
Engineer  
Regul.*

Director, Regional Data & Financial Management 10BC

June 15, 1965

Chief, Real Property Division, UDS 10UR

10UR

Transfer of excess real property  
Marine Recuperational Barracks, Klamath Falls, Oregon  
GSA Control No. GR-Ore-470A

Attached is copy of transfer document whereby a 44.464 acre parcel of land at the Former Marine Recuperational Barracks, Klamath Falls, Oregon, GSA Control No. GR-Ore-470A, was transferred to the Corps of Engineers for use by the Air Force. Title, Custody and accountability were accepted as of 4:00 P. M., June 8, 1965.

The acquisition cost of this parcel was \$93,000. The fair market value was \$3,450. Reimbursement is to be made in the amount of \$1,725. It will be appreciated if you will advise when this reimbursement has been received.

V. L. Barnes

Enclosure

10UR:RAStuart:fb 6-15-65

## DETERMINATION OF FAIR VALUE FOR TRANSFER

Subject: Portion of Former Marine Recuperational Barracks,  
Klamath Falls, Oregon

Pertinent Data: Corps of Engineers has requested transfer of a  
44.464 acre parcel of land for use by the Air Force  
at the Former Marine Recuperational Barracks,  
Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Summary of Values: The reported acquisition cost of the firing range  
property is \$93,000. The fair market value has  
been determined to be \$3,450.

Pursuant to GSA Handbook UDS P 4000.1, Chapter 2,  
Paragraph 43, the fair value for transfer is hereby  
determined to be:

50% of \$3,450 or \$1,725

Prepared by R. A. Stuart 5/21/65  
R. A. Stuart, Realty Specialist

Approved by V. L. Barnes  
V. L. Barnes, Chief, Real Prop. Divn.  
Utilization and Disposal Service



GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF EXCESS REAL PROPERTY AND RELATED PERSONAL PROPERTY

1. GSA CONTROL

10UR-164

2. DATE OF REQUEST

8 February 1965

THIS BLOCK FOR USE BY AGENCY RECEIVING REQUEST

DATE REQUEST RECEIVED

2-15-65  
H-5-62

HOLDING AGENCY NO. (If any)

71-Dec-33-470

ACQUISITION COST

\$ 92,000

FAIR VALUE

\$ 1725

3. TO (Name and address of agency being requested to transfer the property)

General Services Administration  
Region 10  
Auburn, Washington

4. FROM (Name and address of agency requesting transfer of the property)

U.S. Army Engineer Dist., Seattle  
1519 Alaskan Way South  
Seattle, Washington 98134

5. REQUESTING AGENCY'S REPRESENTATIVE TO BE CONTACTED FOR FURTHER INFORMATION (Name and address)

B. P. BENNETT  
U.S. Army Engineer Dist., Seattle  
1519 Alaskan Way South  
Seattle, Washington 98134

6. PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION AND ADDRESS

Firing Range  
Oregon Technical Institute - approximately  
3 miles from Klamath Falls, Oregon

REAL PROPERTY REQUESTED

A. STRUCTURES			B. LAND		C. UTILITIES
USE (a)	NUMBER OF BUILDINGS (b)	FLOOR AREA (Sq. Ft.) (c)	GOVERNMENT'S INTEREST (a)	AREA (Acres or Sq. Ft.) (b)	
(1) OFFICE			(1) FEE	90 acres	2 ea. target pits 2 ea. target frames
(2) STORAGE			(2) LEASED		
(3) OTHER (Specify)			(3) OTHER (Specify) Access Road Easement	2 acres	
(4) TOTAL			(4) TOTAL	92 acres	

8. RELATED PERSONAL PROPERTY REQUESTED

None

ARE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR THE TRANSFER OF THIS PROPERTY?

☒ YES

☐ NO

10. CERTIFICATION

Certification is hereby made that this Agency has a need for the property identified above to carry on an approved program; that the transfer thereof to this Agency for the purposes indicated would be in accord with the intent of Congress with respect to such program; and that the intended use thereof would not be inconsistent with the policy guidelines expressed by the Bureau of the Budget Circular No. A-2, dated October 18, 1955. The statement of justification under block 11 below for the transfer of the property requested is complete and accurate.

*Kelvin Greenstreet*  
KELVIN GREENSTREET

Ch. Real Estate Div., U.S. Army Engr Dist, Seattle

8 Feb 65

11. STATEMENT OF JUSTIFICATION (This statement must include data with respect to all factors covered in item 11 of the Instructions for the Preparation of GSA Form 1334. See GSA Reg. 2-IV-202.07)

The property will be used by the Air Force for a firing range for training military personnel in the use of firearms as required by Air Force regulations. All of the area will be used. The Air Force appropriation will be benefitted. This property has been used by the Air Force through a verbal agreement with the Director of Oregon Technical Institute. There is no other suitable property available. Probable sale price of the property is \$7,740. Transfer of the property will save the Air Force the expense of sending military personnel on temporary duty to other firing ranges.

Subject to existing easements for water, electric lines,  
public utilities, railroads and pipelines.

Being the same property acquired by the United States  
of America under condemnation proceedings Nos. 111,  
2561, 2562, 2635, 2636, 2637, 2638, 2639, 2640, 2641, 2642,  
2625 and 2626 in the District Court of the United States  
for the District of Oregon.

This Deed is made and delivered to confirm of record that all  
right, title and interest of the STATE OF OREGON, in and to the  
property above described has reverted to and become the property of  
the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, its successors and assigns, pursuant to  
the provisions of that certain Quitclaim Deed executed by the UNITED  
STATES OF AMERICA to the STATE OF OREGON dated October 26, 1947, and  
filed for recordation in the Office of the County Clerk of Clatsop  
County in the State of Oregon on December 6, 1947 and that certain  
Notice reverting title to the aforesaid property executed by the  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting by and through the Secretary of  
Health, Education, and Welfare bearing even date herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the STATE OF OREGON has caused this  
instrument to be executed as of the 1st day of December,  
1964.

STATE OF OREGON  
Acting by and through the State Board  
of Higher Education by its President  
and Secretary thereunto duly autho-  
rized by resolution of said Board and  
the provisions of Section 351.150,  
Oregon Revised Statutes.

By Charles H. ...  
President

And by ...  
Secretary

STATE OF OREGON  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

A.D. 1964, appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_  
to me personally known, who being duly sworn, depose and say that  
President of the State Board of Higher Education and Secretary  
thereunto duly authorized by resolution of said Board and the provisions of  
Section 351.150, Oregon Revised Statutes.

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# DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

## QUITCLAIM DEED

THE STATE OF OREGON does hereby remise, release and quitclaim to the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, its successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the following described real property and improvements thereon situate in the County of Klamath, in said State:

- Parcel 1 - S 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R.9 E., W.M.
- " 2 - N 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R.9E. W.M.
- " 4 - SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R.9 E. W.M.
- " 5 - NE 1/4 SW 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R.9 E. W.M.
- " 6 - SE 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 14, T.38 S., R.9 E., W.M.
- " 7 - SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 14, T.38 S., R.9 E., W.M.
- " 9 - SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R. 9 E., W.M.
- " 10 - NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R. 9 E., W.M.
- " 12 - The S. 465.44' of the NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 15, T.38 S., R 9 E., W.M.

Together with a perpetual easement for sewer and power lines over 10.8 acres of land described as follows:

That portion of Sections 26, 27, and 28 of Township 38 S, Range 9 East, Willamette Meridian, in Klamath County, Oregon, lying within a strip of land 90 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point, same being on the half section line and 113.1 feet west of the S.W. Corner of the NW 1/4 of Section 28 N. 48° 45' East, a distance of 356.44 feet to a point; thence North 38° 15' East a distance of 494.7 feet to a point lying in Section 27; thence North 37° 29' East a distance of 2196.5 feet; thence North 31° 35' East a distance of 431 feet to a point; thence North 34° East a distance of 256 feet to a point; thence North 14° 45' East a distance of 242 feet to a point; thence North 46° 42' East a distance of 550 feet to a point; thence North 36° 56' East a distance of 189.6 feet to a point; thence North 44° 21' East a distance of 1408.9 feet to a point; thence North 31° 36' East a distance of 260 feet to a point; thence North 22° 58' East a distance of 730 feet to a point; thence North 20° 41' East a distance of 345 feet to a point; thence North 17° 57' East a distance of 395 feet to a point; thence North 27° 05' East a distance of 531 feet to a point; thence North 24° 25' East a distance of 331 feet to a point; thence North 15° 20' East a distance of 111.1 feet, same being on Section line between Sections 15 and 16.

Containing 10.8 acres, more or less.

Together with appurtenant easements, buildings, structures and improvements located thereon.

Subject to existing easements for roads, highways, public utilities, railroads and pipelines.

Being the same property acquired by the United States of America and located within the boundaries of the State of Oregon, and is hereby conveyed to the United States of America for the District of Columbia.

This deed is not valid inasmuch as the United States of America is not a legal entity and cannot hold title to land.

## ASSESS. OWNERS

## KLAMATH COUNTY ASSESSOR

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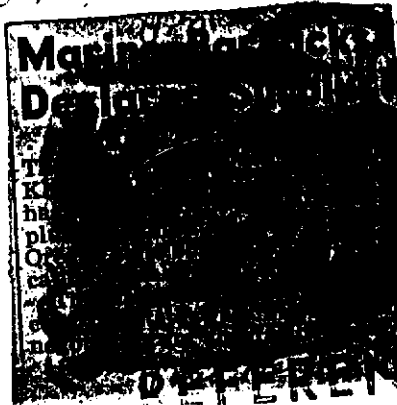
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REFERENCE

## Marine Post Set To Close On March 1

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ing its facilities in connection with a regional survey.

First reports of the veterans administration plan, however, indicated that it would probably locate on another site in the Klamath vicinity and build from the ground up, with fireproof hospital buildings. A suggestion that the fireproof buildings could be built on the Marine Barracks site, making use of its swimming pool, gymnasium and other recreational facilities, as well as many other buildings and features there, has been advanced locally and presumably will be given consideration by the veterans administration. Possible other public use of the post has been suggested.

At present, there are about 1000 enlisted personnel at the Marine Barracks, with a total complement of about 1200.

Col. Brooks said today he has not yet received direct instructions with respect to disbanding the post, and he will make announcements of interest locally as the closure details are worked out.

Although it is scheduled for disbandment as a marine corps installation, the local post is still undergoing construction. A contract for several additional facilities is just being completed. The post has facilities for 5000 men.

## Specialized Medical Activities Now Completed

The marine corps has set March 1 as a tentative date for closing the Marine Barracks as an active marine post, it was learned from an authoritative source today.

Specialized medical activities for which the Klamath post was created have been completed, and continuation beyond March 1 will not be required, according to instructions which have gone out from marine corps headquarters to the department of the Pacific.

Disbandment of the post, disposition of property, and distribution of personnel will require a considerable period beyond the formal closing date, and it will probably be late in May or in June before marine personnel have moved entirely off the installation.

Today's disclosures are the first to indicate that the marine corps has finally decided it cannot make further use of the big Klamath establishment, which was set up originally as a reconditioning and training center for marines who contracted tropical diseases in the Pacific war theater. Col. Charles T. Brooks of the marine corps and Capt. Lowell T. Coggeshall, USNR, representing the navy bureau of medicine and surgery, are the head men at the barracks. Capt. Coggeshall helped determine the mission of the post before its establishment, and has been its ranking medical officer throughout its history. The post has won national fame in the field of tropical disease.

### Facilities Studied

There has been widespread local discussion of the possibility of making the Marine Barracks a veterans' administration facility, especially since the veterans bureau announced some time ago it would establish a hospital at Klamath Falls. It is known that recently a representative of the administration spent two days on the post, study-

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The Pilot ordered the crew to bail out, but the parachute for the injured tail gunner could not be located. Kingsley strapped his chute on the gunner and remained on the B-17, to die in the crash. He was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor.

During the late 1960s and early 1970s Kingsley Field was streamlined by moving base activities into the southern portion of the former NAS. Base construction in 1954 and in later years had taken place in the southern area of the NAS but the enlisted barracks and other structures at the northern edge were put to new uses. As the base role and its population declined these World War II structures were removed. By 1971 only 11 of the World War II buildings in the northern area remained. The Department of Defense placed Kingsley Field on its 1978 list of bases scheduled for closure and began to transfer its air defense and interceptor role to the Oregon Air National Guard. The Guard assumed the base in 1981 and established a new and smaller base turning over the northern area, a large part of the former NAS, to the city of Klamath Falls.

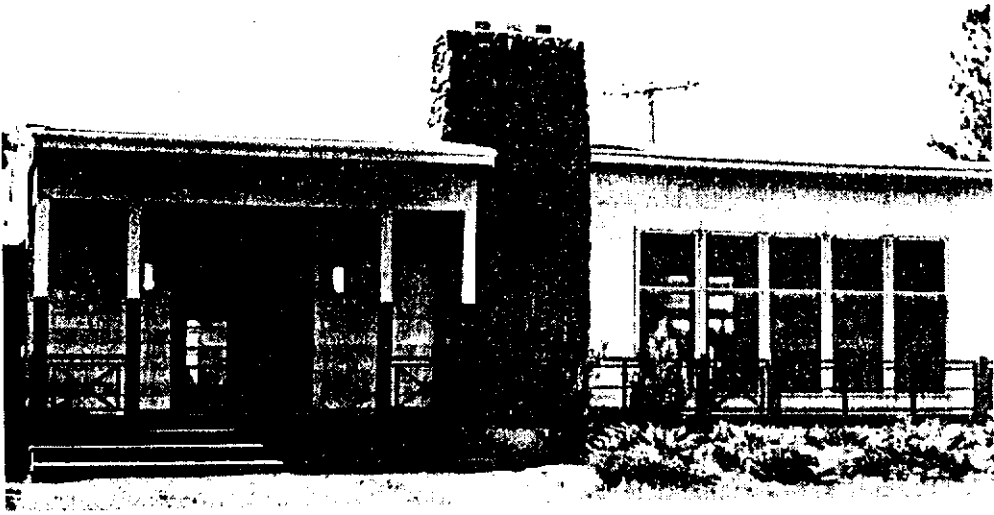
The former barracks and administration area of the NAS are now just outside the security fence of Kingsley Field on the north side of Dyess Avenue, to the south of the three rows of barracks. Four structures of the NAS survive in this area. There is the World War II gate house, one enlisted men's barracks (bldg 10), the dispensary (bldg 27), and the steel hangar from Dutch Harbor. The site of the World War II family housing on the northwest corner of the NAS is today a city baseball field. Where the family housing was in Klamath Falls is shopping mall.

Three World War II structures survive at the Lakeview NAAF which is today Lake County Airport. The motor pool, hangar and bachelor officers quarters are standing but the BOQ is vacant and in a poor state of repair.

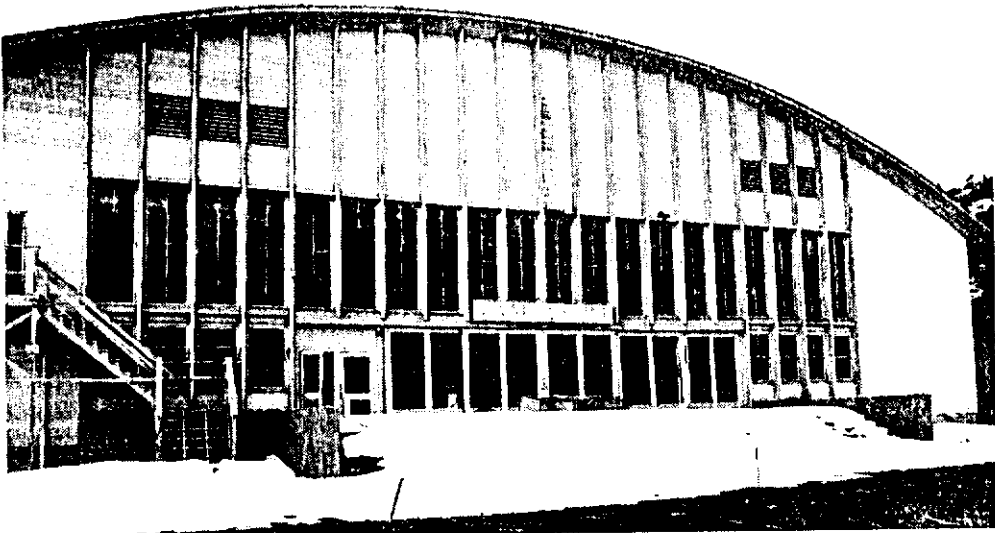
### **Klamath Falls, Marine Barracks**

The convalescent center for Marines suffering from tropical diseases including filariasis and malaria was constructed in a mountain valley four miles northeast of town. The site was on a pioneer wagon trail that by 1943 had become a gravel county road. It was at 4,805 feet elevation, a beautiful locale with pine trees and clean healthful air.

Construction plans were developed to preserve as many of the trees as possible nestling the barracks and other buildings in the forest. Plans called for 80 buildings with a capacity of 5,000 men. There would be 28 barracks, each of two-story wood frame construction. They were sited on one side of the horseshoe shaped camp. At the top of the horseshoe, where the county road enters the camp from Klamath Falls, was an indoor Olympic size swimming pool, a gym and bowling alley and a guest house. To the rear of the gym between the tips of the horseshoe were the administration building, a theatre, PX and to their rear a parade ground. At the bottom of the horseshoe was a huge mess hall, shops and the heating plant. On a small bluff above the bottom of the camp was the officers club. A medical laboratory, called the 'Monkey House' by Marines, family dispensary, medical staff housing and a rifle range were built on the



*Guest House at Marine Barracks. OIT photo.*



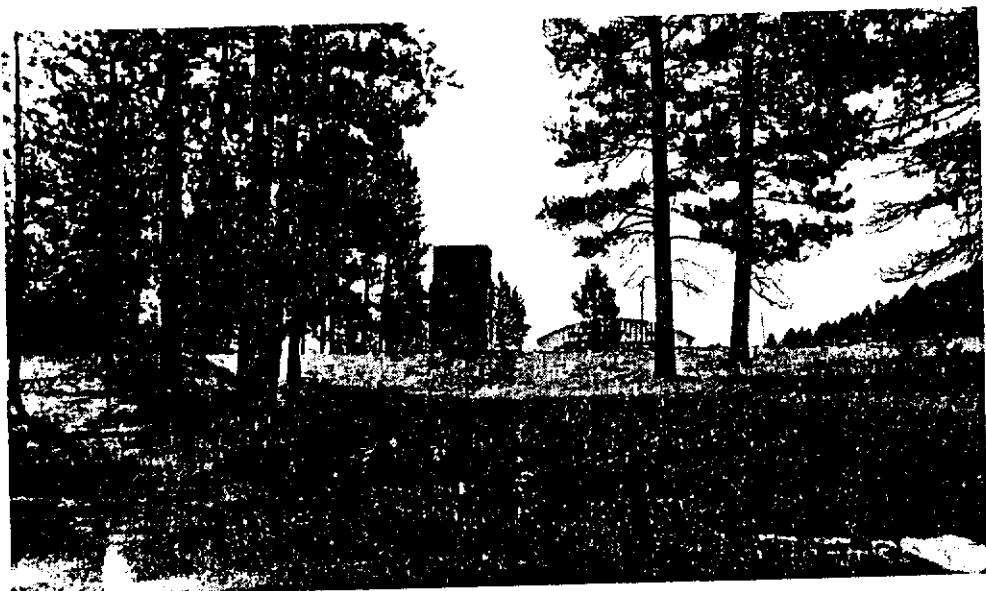
*Marine gymnasium.*

hillside on the north slope of the valley. Horse barns were built at the top of a second valley one-half mile on the county road beyond the heating plant.

While the Marine Barracks was under construction in February, 1944 Colonel Bernard Dubel was appointed Commanding Officer. Colonel Dubel arrived in Klamath Falls in March, establishing his headquarters in a downtown office.

Dubel, a 27 year veteran of the Corps had just finished a tour in Cuba. He had been the Commanding Officer of the 13th Defense Battalion. Dubel was a demanding commander whose weather beaten face and handle-bar mustache was not forgotten by Marines who were forced to regain their health through vigorous work and exercise at the Klamath Falls Marine Barracks.

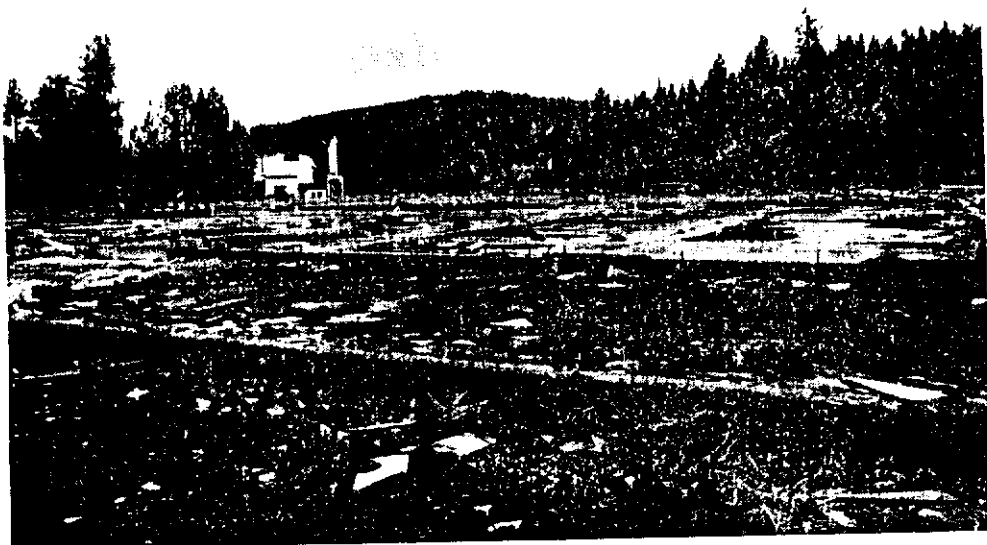
The Marine Barracks opened in April, 1944. Commander Nowell T.



*Vault and foundation of Marine administration building.*

Coggeshall, USN, an authority on tropical diseases was the medical officer. Coggeshall formulated the treatment program, one emphasizing activity rather than bed rest. There were only 97 hospital beds at the Barracks and they were used as little as possible. Colonel Dubel was the person to translate this goal into every day reality. He had the men drilling, on work details, riding horses, engaged in sports and outdoor recreation. There was also plenty of food and social activities. Dr. Coggeshall believed that a physically fit body was the best medicine for tropical diseases. In addition to rebuilding their bodies the men had to overcome fears. "Within a short time Marines had the updated information on malaria, filariasis, elephantiasis. Some of the mystery of the dread diseases was dispelled, which helped bolster confidence. They were encouraged, too by

*Mess hall foundation; heating plant in background.*





*Steps to sick bay of Marine dispensary.*

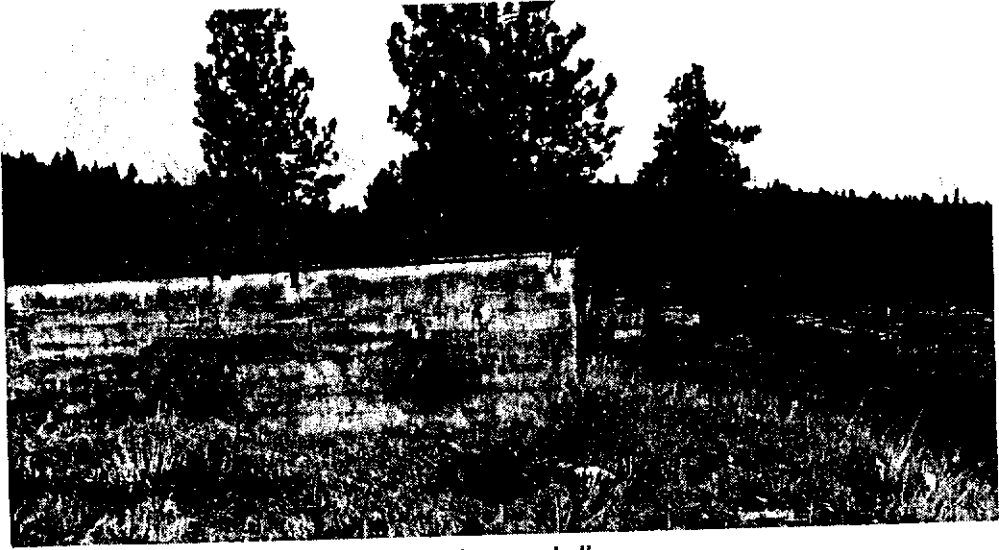
seeing others playing football, basketball, hunting, fishing, going to dances, enjoying normal pleasures. Even more, many wives of filariasis victims were giving birth to normal, healthy babies.

"There were health problems, but gradually most of the men noticed physical improvement. Their weight and, in some cases, their hair returned. Tolerance tests, disliked as they were, proved to the men that they were capable of taking on physical challenges. Most rehabilitated men were given a six month assignment at the post of his choice, most often near his home, before returning to a combat unit." (Klamath Falls Marine League, page 2)

The Marine Barracks was not a resort and the physical training was tough. Marines at the center were in casualty status without the brotherhood and sense of belonging that derives from assignment to a regular unit. It was a limbo status without responsibilities and rights. To be released and returned to a unit required a three month stay and the passing of a physical test, called a tolerance test. One was to complete a long hike with full pack in the mountains above the valley. Some Marines completed an alternative test and that was a rigorous work detail at Camp Govo, a forest service camp at Crescent Lake, Oregon where men cut fire paths, cleared the forest, built trails, and performed other hard work.

Colonel George O. Van Orden, a tested veteran of the Bougainville and Guam campaigns, relieved Colonel Dubel in November, 1944 and served at the Barracks until July, 1945. Colonel Van Orden had witnessed the debilitating impact of tropical diseases having served as the Commanding Officer of the First Battalion, Third Marines (Regiment), at Samoa and Bougainville.

During the first year of operation 4,719 Marines were received and 2,942 were returned to full duty and another 708 were ready to go when they had orders. The original plans for the Marine Barracks anticipated its use for two years after the conclusion of the war but by May, 1945 the need had nearly

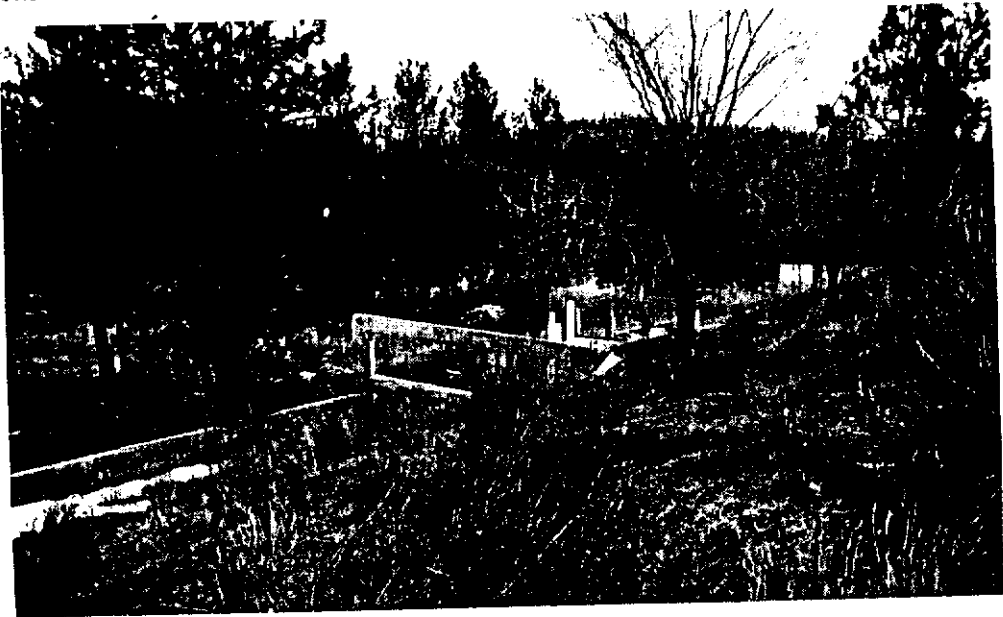


*Barracks footing on South Road above the mess hall.*

disappeared. The center had demonstrated effective treatment strategies and the shift in the locale of the War to the Central Pacific was producing fewer victims of tropical diseases. The Navy Bureau of Medicine and Surgery concluded that the Barracks could be closed in 1946.

Colonel Charles T. Brooks relieved Van Order in July, 1945 and stayed on to close the facility. When Brooks assumed command the center's population was 1,600 men and it was down to 1,200 on January 1, 1946. The facility was scheduled to close on March 1. Marine work parties secured the buildings and guarded the camp while an attempt was made to locate a new tenant. The State of Oregon obtained the facility and opened there in May, 1947 the Oregon

*The Marine Barracks dispensary stood here.*



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<b>SUBJECT</b> Kingsley Firing Range Annex			

**SUMMARY**

Mrs. Maxine Wirth is the current land owner of Tract 600 of the subject area. She stated that her family had owned all the land prior to the government condemning it and taking it over for the former Marine Barracks. While she was not happy about the past actions of the government she was extremely helpful to the SI team in the investigation for OE. Mrs. Wirth maintains a gate through which entry can be made to the land in question. She made the key available to the team so access could be made at any time. During the interview she stated many times she had never seen or heard of any OE on the property. Mrs. Wirth has been a life long resident of the area and stated she had never heard any bangs or loud explosions. She stated she had heard small arms fire. Mrs. Wirth said that since the Air Force controlled the range they had always called her prior to using the range which was infrequent.

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**ACTION TAKEN**

<b>NAME OF PERSON DOCUMENTING CONVERSATION</b> James L. Aschnewitz	<b>ORGANIZATION</b> CENCR-ED-DO	<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER</b> 309-794-6035
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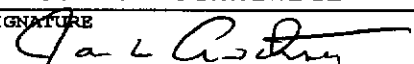
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Mr. Bruce Durant		503-883-1386	
<b>SUBJECT</b> Kingsley Firing Range Annex			

**SUMMARY**

Mr. Bruce Durant owns and lives on the land directly adjacent to the Kingsley Firing Range Annex. Mr. Durant stated he was a real estate salesman and in the course of his job he had been all around the area in question. Mr. Durant along with several others maintain a key lock on the other end of the property from Mrs. Wirth. Mr. Durant offered access to the SI team any time it was required. During the visit he left the gate open so access was available. As with Mrs. Wirth, Mr. Durant was extremely helpful to the SI team. He stated he had never seen any questionable items on the range and especially anything that looked like ordnance. He stated he would call personally if anything was ever found. I explained to him that if he ever found anything that resembled ordnance that he should not touch it, but mark it and call the local sheriff department.

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**ACTION TAKEN**

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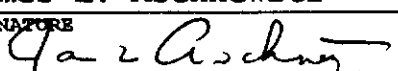
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<b>SUBJECT</b> Kingsley Firing Range Annex			

**SUMMARY**

Chief Master Sergeant John Wohlwend invited the SI team for an interview. Mr. Wohlwend has been with the Oregon Air National Guard since 1971. All his time has been at Kingsley AFB, Oregon. He stated the guard had never used the range since they took the base over from the active Air Force. Prior to take over he thought the range had been used for some disposal work and also for marksmanship training. He gave us several references to call. Until ten years ago he was also a deputy sheriff of Klamath County. He said during that time there were no incidents on the range of any type. He stated he had been on the range several times and had never seen any ordnance.

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**ACTION TAKEN**

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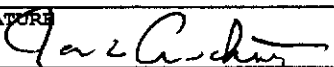
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<b>NAME OF PERSON CONTACT WITH</b>  Sergeant Flocchini		Klamath Falls Police Department	<b>Telephone Number:</b> 503-883-5336
<b>SUBJECT</b> Kingsley Firing Range			

**SUMMARY**

A telephone interview was conducted with Mr. Flocchini. Mr. Flocchini stated he had been a resident of Klamath Falls over 35 years. He has been on the range when he was in the National Guard. He stated they had only fired small arms. He further stated there were no incidents on file at the Police Department. He also said that to the best of his knowledge no other agencies had been involved in any ordnance incidents.

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**ACTION TAKEN**

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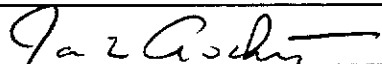
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<b>SUBJECT</b> Kingsley Firing Range Annex			

**SUMMARY**

Mr. Kenny Hertz was not available at the time of the site visit due to medical problems. He was eventually contacted on 18 September 1995. Mr. Hertz provided a wealth of information on the Oregon Army National Guard use of Kingsley Firing Range Annex. Mr. Hertz was with the Oregon Army National Guard for over 30 years. He confirmed the guard did use the range occasionally. He stated the majority of the time it was used only for small arms training. He also confirmed that the guard did on several occasions fire 3.5 inch rockets. He further confirmed the firing point and the impact area on the range. He stated there was never any high explosive or any other "live" warheads fired on the range. This further confirms Mrs. Wirths comments that she had never heard any loud explosions when the range was in use.

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**ACTION TAKEN**

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J-1 Perimeter Fence Signs



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J-3 Burn/Detonation Pit Berm



J-4 Burn/Detonation Pit Area  
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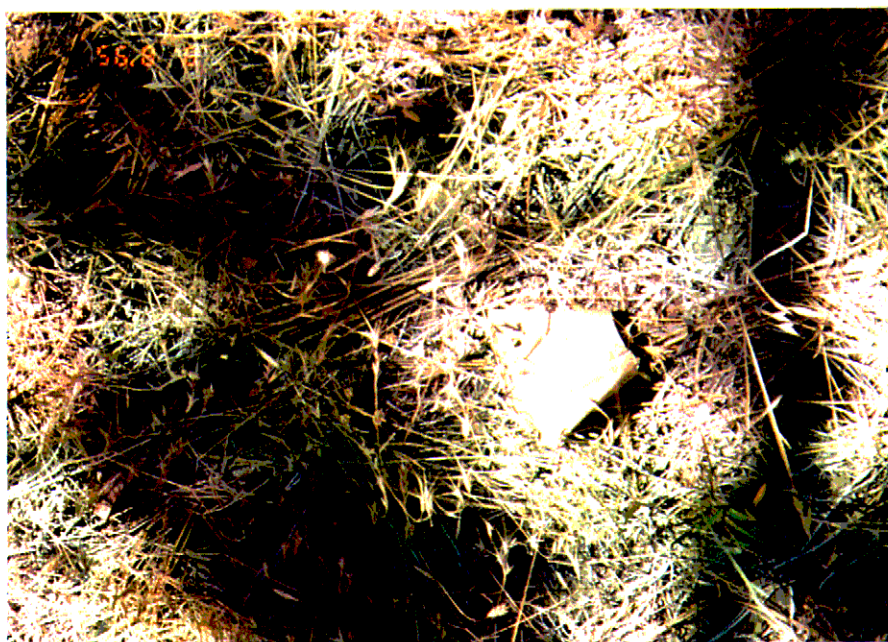




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J-10 3.5" Rocket Body Empty



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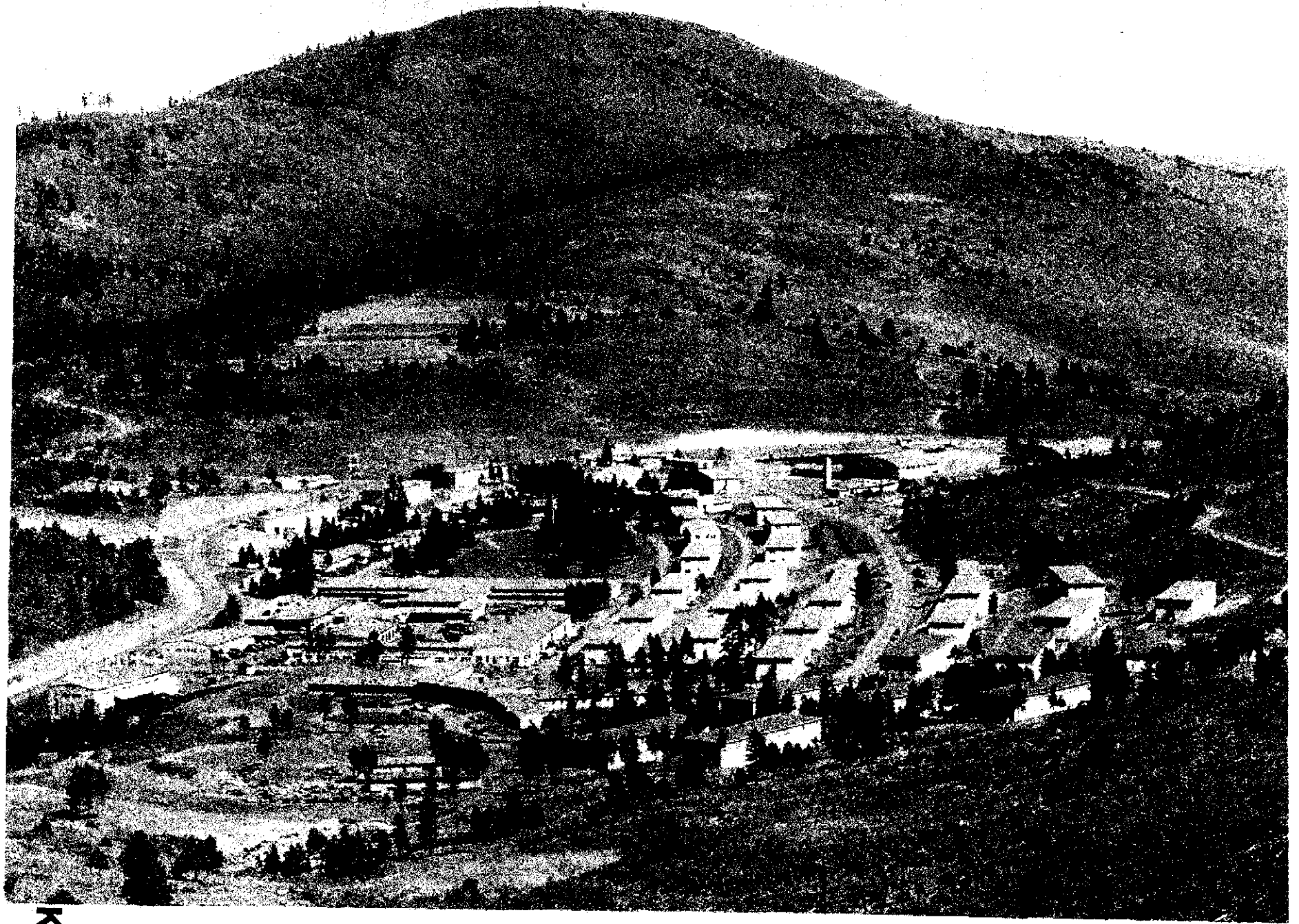
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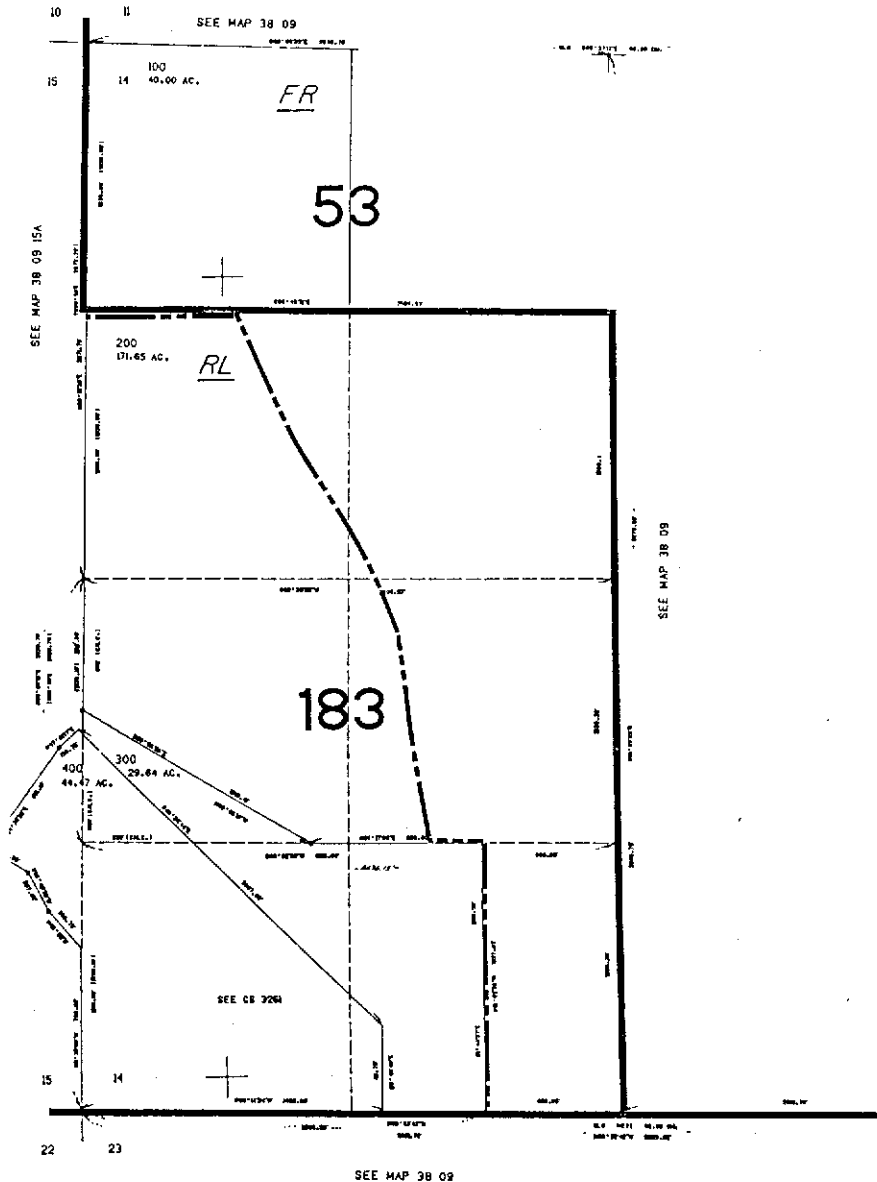
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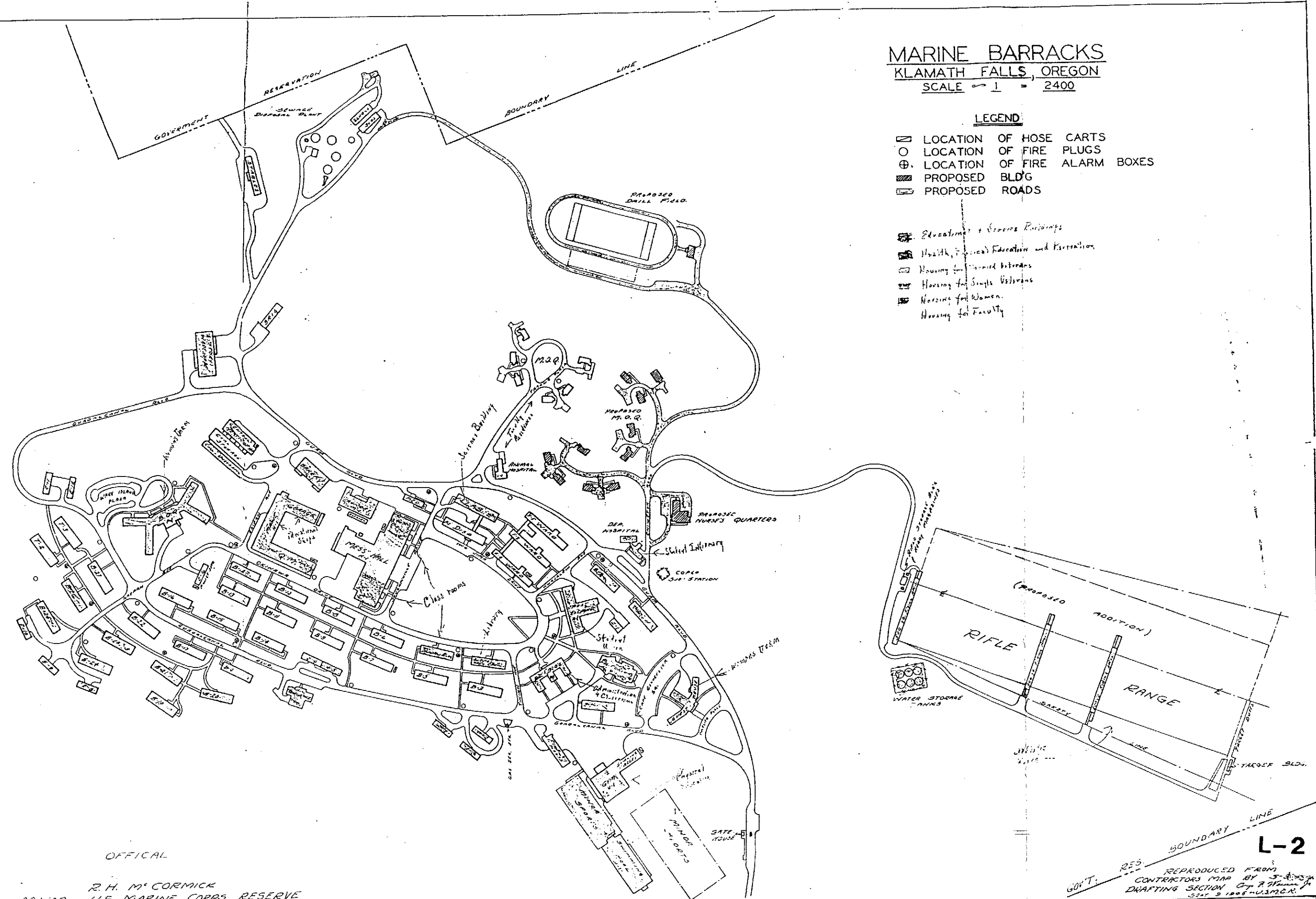
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PROJECT MAP

DEPT. OF THE AIR FORCE

LOCATION OF PROJECT

NAME ALLEN  
COUNTRY SIAM  
ADDRESS NORTH PACIFIC  
CITY SEATTLE  
STATE WASHINGTON  
ZIP 98101

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

STATE ROAD 82 190  
FEDERAL ROAD 87  
AIR LINE WTS. 50457, 141920

## ACQUISITION

TOTAL ACRES ACCOUNTED

PE \_\_\_\_\_  
 PUBLIC ROOMS [ ]  
 USE HALL \_\_\_\_\_  
 TRANSFER [ ]  
 LEAD [ ]  
 LEAD SUBJECT [ ]

DISPOSAL

TOTAL ACRES DISPOSED OF

SOLD \_\_\_\_\_  
 PUBLIC DOMAIN \_\_\_\_\_  
 NEW PUBLISHED \_\_\_\_\_  
 TRANSMISSION \_\_\_\_\_  
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SEGMENT 6

### DISTRICT INQUIRY

NORTH PACIFIC DIVISION

REAL LSI  
KINGSLY

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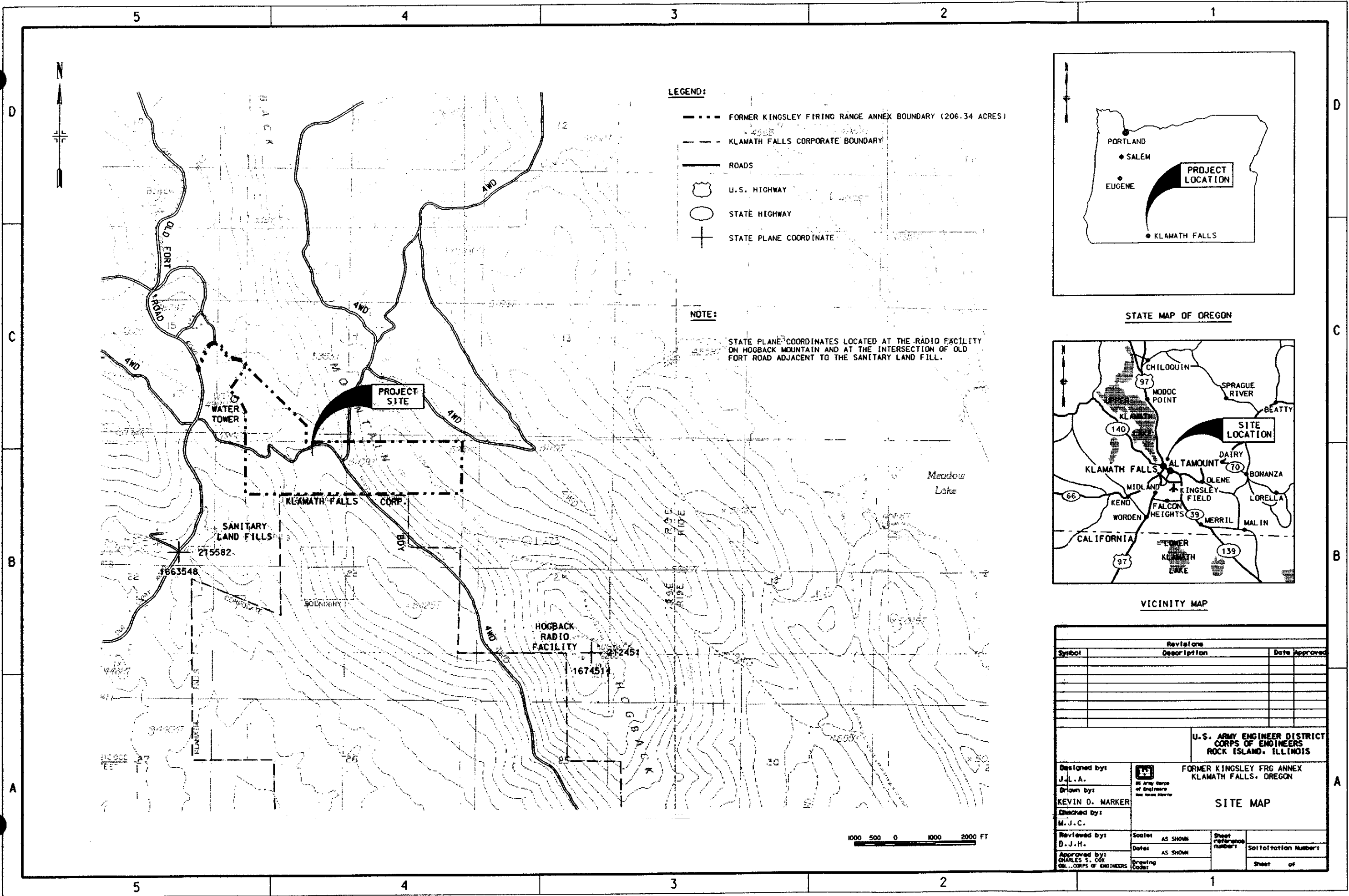
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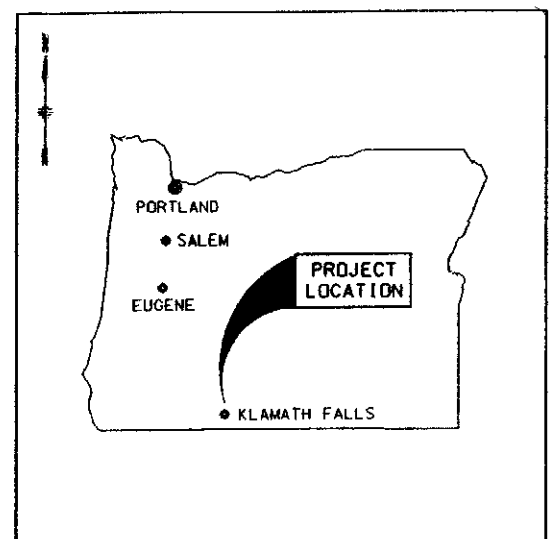


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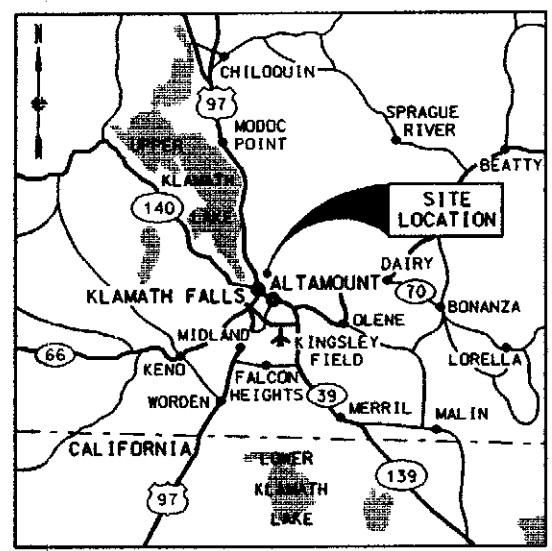
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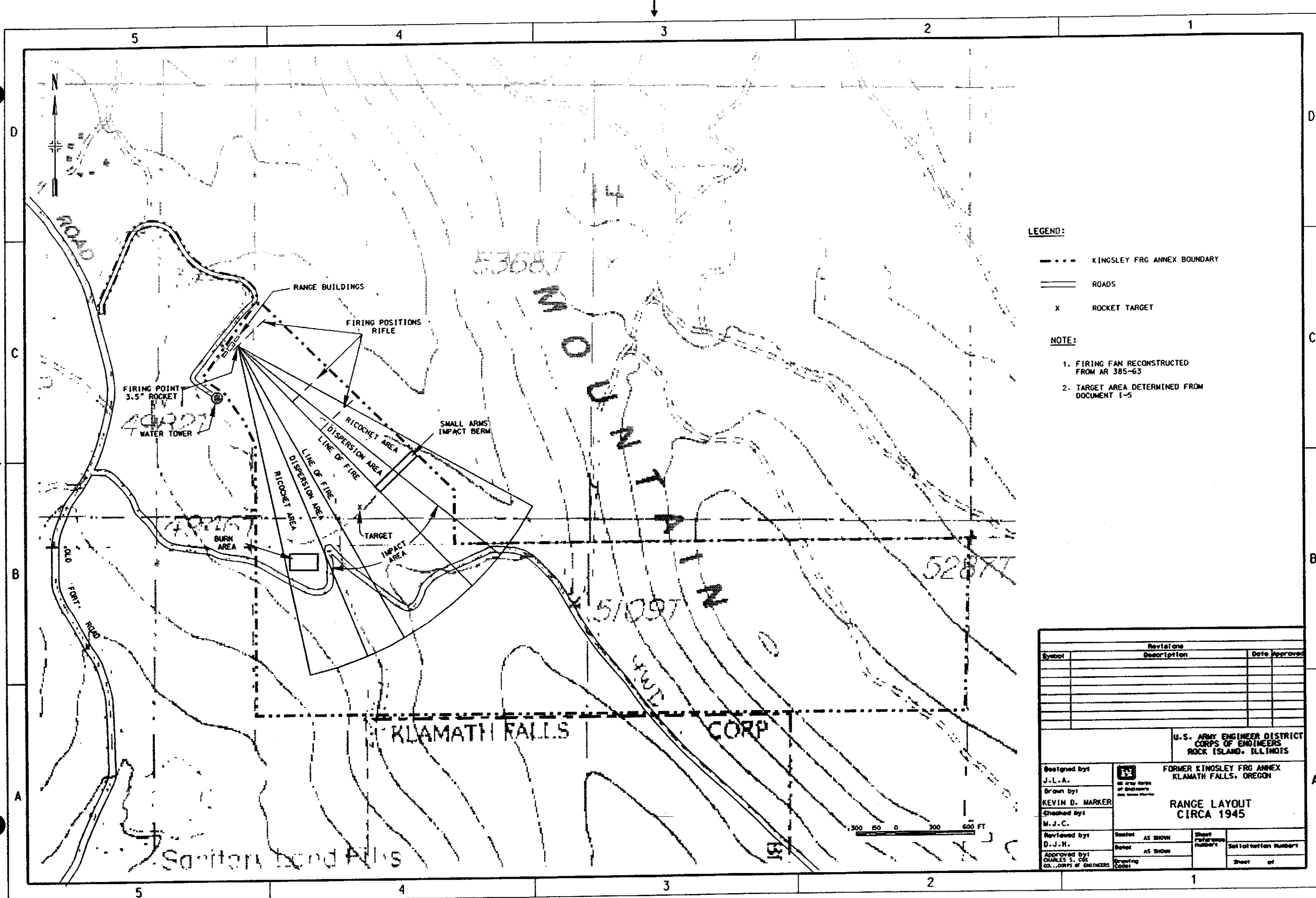
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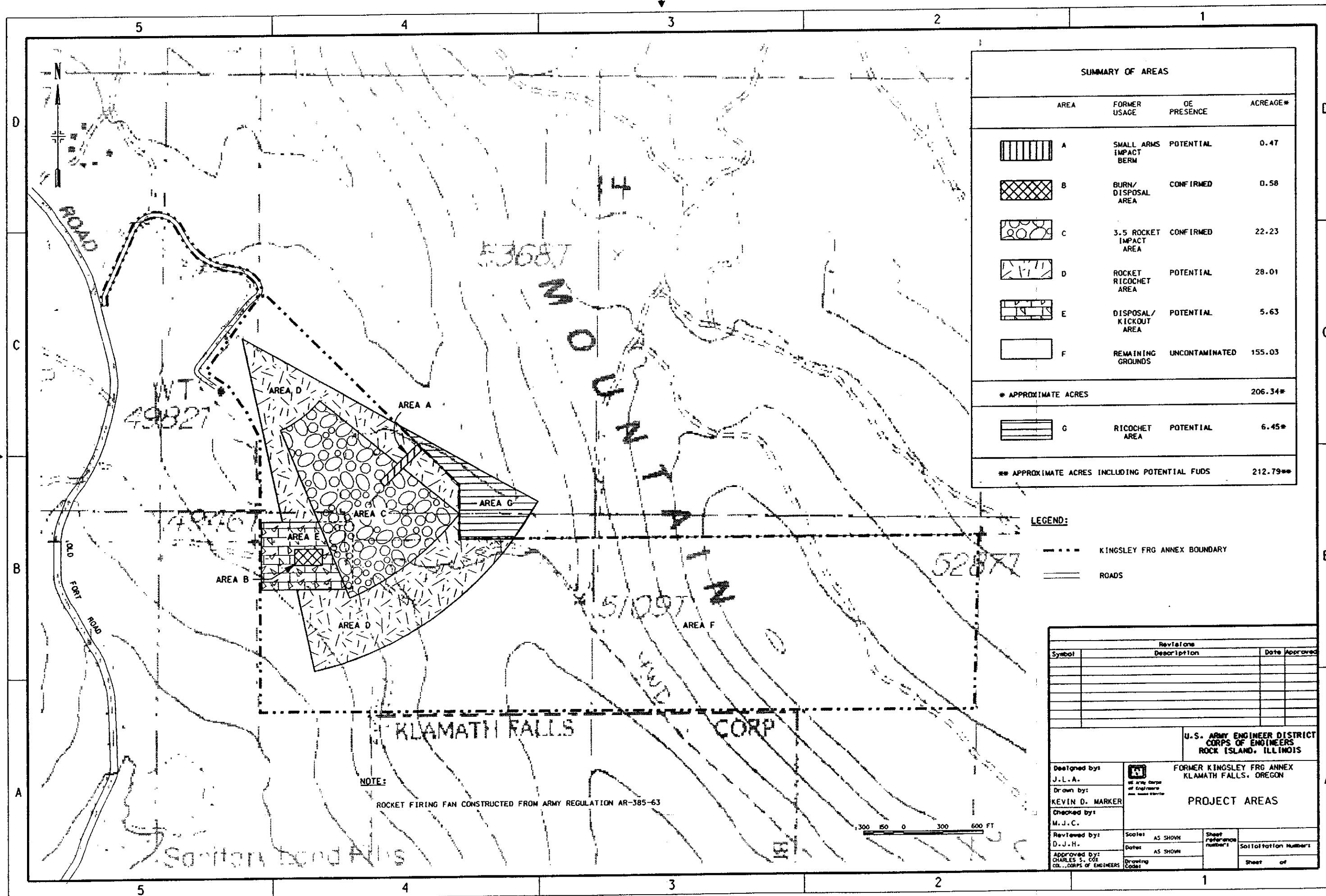
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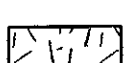
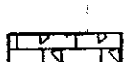
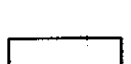

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 A	SMALL ARMS IMPACT BERM	POTENTIAL	0.47
 B	BURN/ DISPOSAL AREA	CONFIRMED	0.58
 C	3.5 ROCKET IMPACT AREA	CONFIRMED	22.23
 D	ROCKET RICOCHET AREA	POTENTIAL	28.01
 E	DISPOSAL/ KICKOUT AREA	POTENTIAL	5.63
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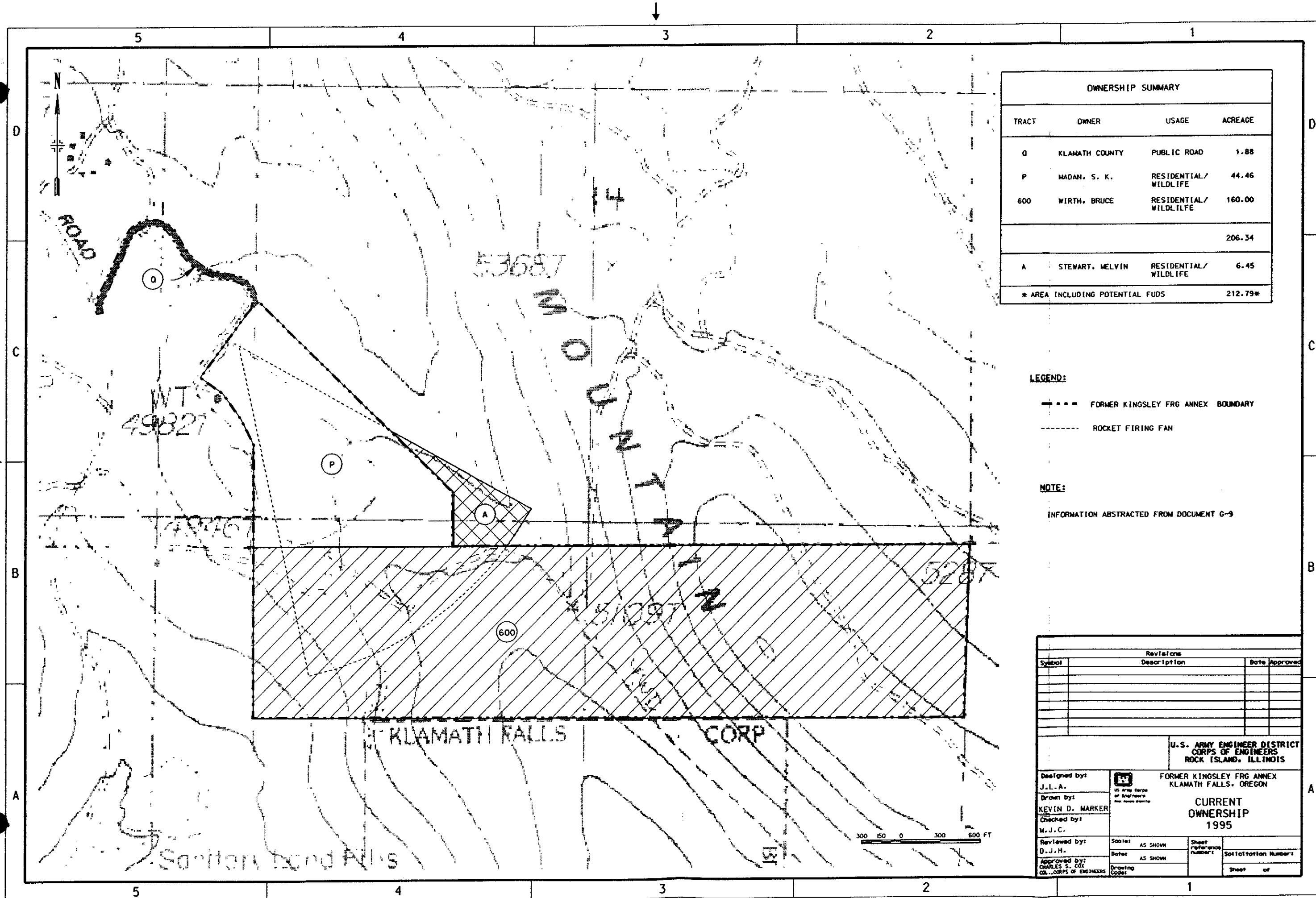
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600	WIRTH, BRUCE	RESIDENTIAL/ WILDLIFE	160.00
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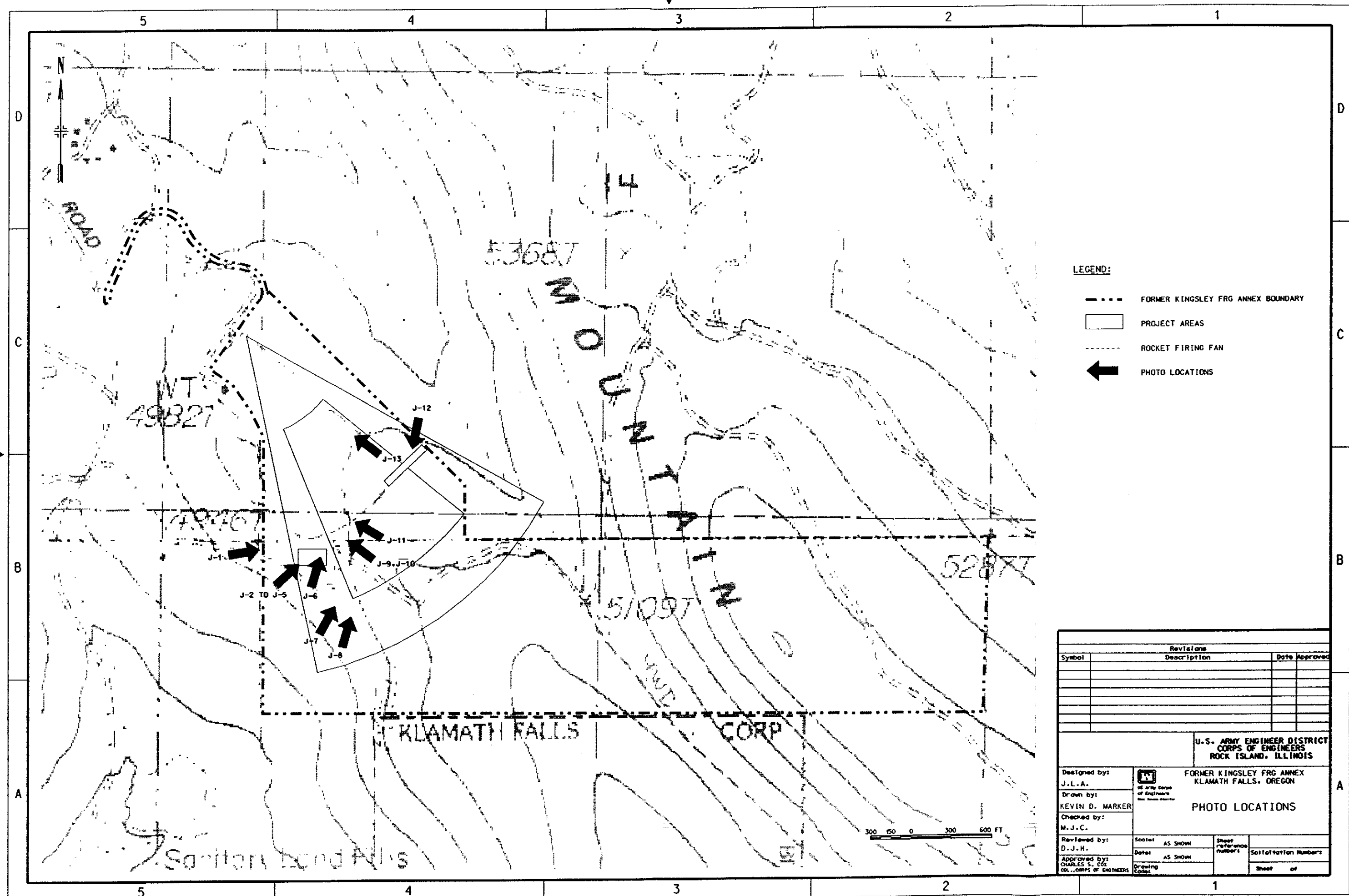
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